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CASES OF INSANITY

From the Effects of

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BY TELEGRAPH.

[DISPATCHES ... SEE THIRD PAGE.]

FIRE RECORD.

Storage Warehouse Burned.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17. The Empire Storage Company's warehouse, on Hudson street, was burned this morning. Loss, $60,000. Insured.

MRS MARTHA SWAN

Celebrating Her 100th Birthday

LEE Mass., Dec. 17. Mrs. Martha Swan, born in Methuen Dec. 17, 1792, is to-day celebrating her 100th birthday.

PROTECT OUR BORDER.

Troops Ordered to Look After Mexican Bandits.

GALVESTON, Tex, Dec. 17. The Governor has ordered troops D and K, of the third United States Cavalry, immediately, to the lower Rio Grande border and scout for Mexican bandits.

AFFAIRS IN BRAZIL.

Report that Federals are Entering Rio Grande Du Sol

VALPARAISO, Dec. 17. News reached here from the Rio Janeiro that the Federalists are entering Rio Grande Du Sol, and the Governor, Gen. Castilho has fled.

Petitions asking the Federal Government of Brazil to declare war against Uruguay are being presented.

Capt. Garzia and Lieut. Bahamania for suborning revolt in Chili were sentenced to be shot.

ORDER OF SALON.

Verdict of "Not Guilty" Rendered Against ex-Supreme Officers.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 17. The jury in the embezzlement and conspiracy cases against the ex-Supreme officers of the order of Salon, Messrs. Ball, Mundorf, and Godfrey, rendered a verdict of not guilty, but placed the costs of the prosecution on ex-Treasurer Godfrey.

TO MEET THE CUT.

A Western Traffic Association Cutting Under the Established Rate

BOSTON, Dec. 17. General Traffic Messenger Berry, of the Boston & Maine system, has notified the Western Traffic Association that he has discovered that a certain local corporation has offered freight transportation to the West at 30 per cent. below the established rate of $1.30 per 100 pounds, consequently Mr. Berry notifies this association that he will at once establish an 80 cent rate to St Paul to meet the cut.

SAFE ROBBERS

Secure $2,000 by the Use of Dynamite

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Dec. 17. Safe blowers at Kings Mountain, Thursday night, blew the Carpenter Bros' safe open with dynamite and got away with $2,000 cash. The town was on the move within ten minutes after the explosion but no trace was found.

SAN DOMINGO.

A Syndicate Said to Have Acquired Control of That Island

NEW YORK, Dec. 17. The Herald says a syndicate of American capitalists have acquired virtual control of the island of San Domingo by the purchase of the right to collect the customs revenues of the country, principally derived from the tobacco monopoly. It is understood that $350,000 was agreed upon. Members of the purchasing syndicate as far as known are Charles W. Wells and Willard Brown, of New York, and John W. Taylor, of Newark. The concessions were heretofore controlled by Messrs. Westerndorff, bankers of Amsterdam. The scheme in connection with which Postmaster General Wannamaker and Senator Quay are mentioned as members, makes the holders of the concession practical rulers of the republic, because they pay officials. The concession will also give the United States a harbor and coaling station.

MONSIGNOR SATOLLI

Report That He Has Been Recalled Declared False

ST. PAUL, Minn., Dec. 17. Archbishop Ireland says the reports that Monseignor Satolli has been recalled by the Pope, or is likely to be soon recalled, is absurd and are the inventions of parties who suffer defeat from his presence and would be delighted if by creating public opinion, adverse to his influence, they could in manner force his retirement from the office. Satolli said that the Archbishop represents the Pope Opposition to him is opposition to the Pope. Disrespect to him, criticism of him, is disrespect or criticism of the Pope. The school question agitated the church in America. Amid the din of controversy Rome was called upon to speak and spoke through her accredited representative. Those who were sincere in their appeal will now be silent and satisfied. The Archbishop's impression is that, beginning as a delegate, Satolli will soon be invested with the title and all the extensive powers of a regulate delegate apostolic.

HEAVY FAILURE.

A Cairo Firm in Trouble.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Dec. 17. G. A. Wright & Son, of Cairo, have failed. Liabilities, $120,000; assets, $70,000.

FOREIGN NEWS.

A Secret Document.

LONDON, Dec. 17. The Daily Chronicle says a Government document is being set up by a single trustworthy compositor, who works behind locked doors, and is guarded from every intrusion by the greatest precaution. Such secrecy would be observed, says the Chronicle, only in the case of a Home Rule Bill.

The Brussels Conference.

LONDON, Dec. 17. The Morning Post contrasts Senator Jones' speech before the Brussels Conference with Allisons' opening address, and says had the former been delivered at the opening of Congress, things might have assumed a different aspect. The tone of the American delegates [illegible] desirable that the conference be resumed in the near future.

Celebrate the Anniversary of an Old Soldier.

BERLIN, Dec. 17. The city of Rostock yesterday, celebrated the one hundred and fifth anniversary of the birthday of Gen. Von Bleucher, in Prussian, [illegible]

FIERCE FIRE.

A Large Cotton Warehouse Burned in South Brooklyn.

Several Firemen Killed by Falling Walls.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Dec. 17. Shortly after nine this morning fire was discovered in a large cotton storage warehouse of David S. Arnot, on the river front, South Brooklyn. While burning fiercely one of the walls fell, burying, it is said, twelve firemen, many of whom, it is thought, were killed. The loss will be very heavy.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

Mr Blaine's Condition

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17. A gentleman coming from Mr. Blaine's residence was seen by a reporter and asked how the Ex-Secretary of State was to-day. He replied he had not seen Mr. Blaine, but had been informed that he was better to-day. At noon there seemed to be a more cheerful air about the Blaine mansion, notwithstanding the damp and disagreeable state of the weather, and callers who have seen the family recently, say there has been no stop in the improvement in Mr. Blaine's condition.

Statement of His Physician

The following statement is given to the press by Dr. W W Johnson, physician of Mr Blaine, with the approval of his family. Mr Blaine has been suffering for some time past with symptoms of impaired general health, but which did not clearly indicate a disease of any particular organ Evidences of a local organic disease have been manifested recently and it is believed his present condition is due to this cause

While there is nothing in the nature of this disease to warrant the fear of any rapid progress, he has shown within a month past more signs of serious illness than before It is hoped this aggravation may pass off, but no positive statement can now be made as to the change which may take place from day to day. At the present moment he is better than for a week past

FATAL ACCIDENT

Brakeman Run Over by a Freight Train

KEENE, N. H, Dec. 17 W H Cole, brakeman of a freight train on the Fitchburg railroad, was killed this morning near Marlboro The train broke which threw him off He was run over by several cars. His home was in Worcester, and he was a new hand.

FIRE IN WINSLOW

Dwelling Houses with Stables Burned

WATERVILLE, Dec 17 Three dwelling houses, with stables, were burned in Winslow this morning The Waterville fire department was called The origin was a defective chimney. Loss, $1,200, insurance, $600

WIGAN MINE DISASTER

Bodies of Twenty Miners Recovered

Further details from London in regard to the terrible explosion in the Bam Furlong colliery near Wigan state that the fire was not subdued until five o clock in the afternoon A little after, the bodies of twenty of the miners who had been suffocated by the noxious gases generated in the mine after the explosion, were brought to the surface by the rescuing parties. Though the work is extremely dangerous, the exploration of the works is continued in the hope that some of the miners in the pit at the time of the explosion may have reached places of safety, where they are awaiting the approach of the rescuers.

The rescue parties report horrible scenes in the mine In the main roads the bodies lie in twos and threes as the men fell, faces downward and heads toward the entrances of the shaft Large sections of the roof and galleries have collapsed Amid the ruins were found mangled bodies and half-burned limbs. The ruins have blocked many parts of the mine and therefore the men searching for bodies are unable to give any definite idea of the number lost.

Several miners who were just alive when found died on their way to the surface or shortly after being taken from the car. One rescue party reached the surface half-suffocated by the smoke and heat caused by fresh outbreaks of the fire.

The rescued miners believe that the explosion was caused by sparks from the engine house, which is said to have caught fire a few minutes before the explosion Men were sent through the mine warning the laborers, and many of those nearest the shaft escaped. The miners who worked farther from the shaft tried to rush through the fire and smoke and were suffocated in the effort The work of rescue continued through the night, although with little hope that more men would be taken out alive.

Manager Hutchinson of the Bam Furlong Mine went down into the pit with one of the rescue parties. In his anxiety to make a thorough search for the men, he remained below too long and was overcome by smoke. He was apparently lifeless, and was revived with difficulty



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DEFEATED BUT UNDAUNTED.

New York Republican Club's Dinner to their Indefatigable Leader.

[New York Press, Dec. 18.]

The gayest house on gay Fifth Avenue, last night, was No. 450. Within its walls the members of the Republican club, the little corps d'élite, whose intelligent enthusiasm alone saved the party's campaign in New York city from being not only a funeral march but an automatic one, a funeral march of marionettes, toasted and feasted the chairman of their campaign committee, Hon John Sabine Smith.

Mr Smith's work in the campaign will principally be remembered by the party at large by the great meetings which he organized, and at which Ex-Senator Platt, Mr. Depew, Senator Hiscock, Congressman Boutelle, Ex Governor Foraker and Senator Sherman spoke. There were over 190 other meetings held, however, under the campaign committee's auspices, and 1,000,000 documents distributed Besides that Mr Smith ran on the forlorn hope local ticket for additional Surrogate, and was further from the bottom of the avalanche than any one else except Hugh Coleman, the sixty ninth regiment candidate for Register of Deeds.

But principally Mr Smith and his associates furnished evidence during the campaign and continued to furnish it last night that the Republican party of New York city is not quite in the lamentable state of being dead from the top down and in ignorance of the fact It is also in human evidence from the club's work and existence that a man may be in for reform without bile in politics and still not "out for the stuff"

Mr. Smith's Stirring Speech

So the lyres of the Hungarian orchestra were struck, and an evening of jollity had a climax of rousing enthusiasm when the guest of the evening declared at the close of his speech that

The Mugwumps may hug Grover Cleveland and Ed Murphy to their breasts, but Lincoln, Grant and Harrison are ours We love the flag and we love the grand old party, and we will rally as often as she calls, and until she triumphs on every issue, or until the last man of us bites the dust

Other notable things Mr Smith said, were these, adjuring the party not to court shipwreck for the fun of a spectacle of Democratic Dumbledumism and suggesting one cause of the late defeat

It has been well said of the issues of the war that the Union men were eternally right and the South eternally wrong If, as we believe, we were before the election right on the great issues of protection, the paper and the coin currency of the nation, we are none the less right to-day because here and there several causes have diverted a small percentage of the vote on this occasion to the enemy; or, what is more certain and more to be deplored, that too many of those who have heretofore voted with us have proved recreant to the prosperity of their country and have neglected to cast a ballot

One cause may be assigned for this indisposition, which we believe operated in some parts of the country with great effect. Our party having been founded and continued on moral issues, many of our good people, thoughtlessly, perhaps, failed to see the same element in 1892 They folded their arms in silence and stood aloof from the party They did not recall its glorious history, and lost sight of the fact that it is the only hope for the future Things were left to drift until dollars and cents shall be ignored and sentiments shall once more come into sway

Human Rights Might Have Aided

Whether more discussion of the right of all the people throughout the land to a "free ballot and a fair count" would have added to our vote we cannot say, but on that issue we feel sure that many a humble citizen who stayed at home would have walked a long distance to cast his vote to cure a great wrong and put another man, 1,000 miles away, into possession of his constitutional rights, of which he has been robbed by force or trick or device.

We measure Democracy by the platform adopted at Chicago, and not by any conjecture as to whether Mr Cleveland will be controlled by it. If he is true to the pledge which his party made for him in nomination he will not swerve a hair's breadth from the ultra doctrine that protection is a fraud and unconstitutional. Democratic Congressmen must support him in this position, if they, too, have not obtained their election under false pretenses

THE LADY PHONOGRAPHER

An Auburn Lady was the First Official Court stenographer in the World

In the "*Phonetic Journal*" November 19th, 1892, published in London, England, contains the following letter from Major J D Pulsifer, of Auburn

Sir,—Your leader in the *Journal* of 8th October, page (641,) headed "The Lady Phonographer," contains this sentence "We have not yet heard of lady shorthand writers in the law courts." Probably there are none such on your side of the Atlantic, but there are now, and have been for many years in the United States, and certainly in the State of Maine, many lady official stenographers. I have five children, three daughters and two sons, who have all reported courts. All, except the youngest, received payment of $5 per day, besides pay for transcript at the rate of 10 cents for 100 words. My youngest daughter was acting as my amanuensis and took duplicate notes, she was sworn, and her notes were therefore official, though she received no extra pay. The last court reported by me with her was in January, 1890, and soon after this Judge Danforth, who held the term, died. Under date of 5th April, 1890, I furnished a short article for the Lewiston *Journal* Permit me to quote from that article:

Major J. D. Pulsifer, the veteran court reporter, sends us some interesting reminiscences of his old friend, the late Judge Danforth.

Major Pulsifer says the statute for employing stenographers in the Supreme Judicial Court of Maine was drawn by himself, and went into effect in the spring of 1867. At first he was the only short hand reporter in the State, and he has reported at one time or another for all the judges then on the bench, and in all the counties in the State. Before long other stenographers came into the field, the two Smalls, Ruel Smith, and others, till now, as a rule, each judge employs his own stenographer.

Major Pulsifer first reported for Judge Danforth at the September term of the Supreme Judicial Court at Norridgewock, in 1869, and the term ran into January, 1870. He having engaged to report the [illegible]

MAINE MELANGE.

How a Biddeford Woman Puts Out a Kerosene Fire.

Narrow Escape from Being Burned to Death.

Aroostook.

Fort Kent, way up in northern Aroostook, has a souvenir spoon, upon which the old block-house shows up in a very natural manner, and the work is very artistic

Cumberland.

The Vancouver, Captain Williams, of the Dominion line, cleared from Portland, at five P. M. Thursday, for Liverpool via Halifax. She took 20 first cabin, 30 second cabin and sixty steerage passengers Her cargo consisted of 42,685 bushels of wheat, 10,913 bushels of oats, 14,011 boxes of cheese, 509 boxes of bacon, 442 packages of butter, 12,340 barrels of apples, 660 cases of eggs, 2,088 bags of oatmeal, 1,599 bags of flour, and sundry other merchandise of a total value of $246,745

Franklin

Orders have been received from the post office department establishing a permanent railway post office on the narrow gauge railroads between Farmington and Rangeley to be known as the Farmington and Rangeley R P O The service is over the Sandy River Railroad from Farmington to Phillips and over the Phillips & Rangeley Railroad to Rangeley, a total distance of 47 miles The running time is about five hours This is said to be the only R P O in the service run over a 24-inch gauge, and the mail apartment looks strange on such a diminutive train The R P O supplies the offices of East Madrid, Phillips, Redington Mills, Kingfield, Strong, Fairbanks and Rangeley, with the various star routes emanating from them. The service went into effect Dec 12, and John H Ellis has been appointed clerk in charge

Hancock.

The ladies of Seal Harbor, Mount Desert, manage a successful "sidewalk society," and by giving picnic suppers and other entertainments raise sufficient funds to build new sidewalks and keep them in repair

Knox

A traveling man, well posted in electric railroad business, says the Rockland road is carrying more passengers than any road in the United States using the same number of cars.

Fred W. Wight has resigned as a member of the Rockland Board of Registration, after nearly two years of efficient service His value as a member of the board has been recognized by all political parties It is probable that Capt E S Farwell will be proposed as his successor Capt Farwell has been clerk of the board, is familiar with its work and has the good judgment necessary to fill the position acceptably

The old engine at the South Maine Railway, in Rockland, which was taken out of the United States steamer Kansas has something of a history It was constructed originally for a Confederate ram and when the Princess Royal was captured while trying to run the blockade, the engine was found in her hold Instead of going into a Confederate war vessel a Federal vessel got it

Somerset.

The Somerset *Reporter* says Wentworth Varney, of Palmyra, has been visiting friends in town and made the *Reporter* a call last week He is now in his eightieth year but is wide awake and active and full of interesting reminiscences of this section in former days Many years ago he resided in Clinton and informs us that he put in the first ferry rope across the Kennebec river at Noble's ferry, and might have secured a patent upon the method of running a ferry by the force of the current if he had applied for it

Waldo.

Belfast post office has made a phenomenal increase in the last few years Four years ago its annual income was about $8,000 The income of the office for 1893 will be $35,000 if it does not surpass that sum It will soon be a first class office and second only to Augusta in amount of business

Washington

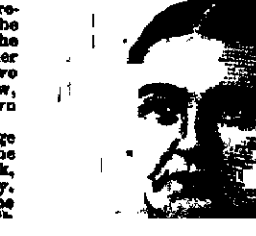
Commenting on the Maine Central's annual dividend the Machias *Union* says that with the Shore Line as a feeder the figure would soon be more than six and more than seven The *Union* has a deep belief in the richness of the Washington county resources it would seem from this statement

A Biddeford woman, by rare courage and presence of mind, saved the cosy little home of her family, Tuesday, when her husband had it on the road to destruction by knocking a kerosene lamp filled with oil upon the hot cook stove The oil at once burst into flames and a serious conflagration seemed imminent, but the wife with rare presence of mind seized a basin of flour and cast it over the burning oil In a moment the fire had been checked and danger arrested

Kennebec

A little kitten, the pet of one Augusta household, has acquired a peculiar habit Her mistress owns a horse of which she is very fond and the kitten stays in the stable much of the time Finding her there the lady has occasionally put pussy on the horse's blanketed back The kitten would fasten its claws into the blanket and cuddle down in some easy resting place apparently contented The contentment was real for finding it a warm spot and the horse socially inclined pussy has become confirmed in the habit of sleeping there

Mary Clark, while crossing the Maine Central track at the Rhines' hill crossing, Thursday evening, just as the 7 30 train was coming in, was struck by or fell against one of the gates. She was hit on the right side of her head and face, tearing the under lip, injuring the back, says the doctor, and knocking her unconscious She claims that she had gone under one gate, and thought that she could get under the other, but that it came down upon her The gateman says that she dashed across the track after the gates were down, and he thought she slipped in attempting to get under the gate on the north side. He declared that he didn't let the gate down upon her, but that it was down before she reached it.



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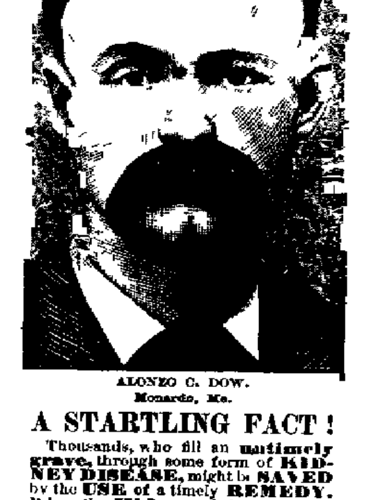
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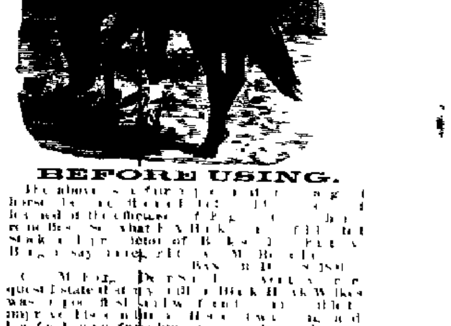
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MONDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1892.

Mr E. Ellery Anderson is getting tired of the Reform Club incident and would be glad to have the people forget all about it. He says no true gentleman would insult his own guest. That s exactly what the friends of Speaker Crisp think.

It is said of Mr. Philip H Armour, of Chicago, who has just made so princely a gift to his city, that he has more than $30,000,000 invested in his business, pays more than $4,000,000 annually to his employees, and gives away a fortune every year. He began life as a poor farmer's son in New York state.

Democratic compliments are the order of the day now. The New York Reform Club has received a good deal of advertising on account of the Crisp incident and as if this were not enough the *Sun* makes a new issue against the club for the prominence given Carl Schurz, and marks both his presence and speech an insult with its greasy charm and Mugwump rhetoric. Next?

According to the Boston *Traveller* there are still living twenty-one widows of Revolutionary soldiers who draw pensions, and the oldest one is ninety-nine years of age. What have the Democratic newspapers to say to this latest discovered phase of the pension fraud outrage? Do they not feel that these twenty one widows in living so long have practically committed a fraud upon the treasury?

The New York Chamber of Commerce favors a National quarantine, and condemns the officiousness of Dr Jenkins, who thought he was the only man to keep out the cholera last fall. New York is a great city but when it comes to fighting the cholera that must be done by the whole country and not by one city. The National Government should have charge of the quarantine at New York, for that is the gateway to this country and if the cholera gets through the gate the whole country must suffer.

The New York Bar Association has filed another protest against Justice Maynard, of the Court of Appeals. Governor Flower paid no attention to the protests of the Bar Association a year ago, when he appointed Maynard to the bench to reward him for stealing a seat in the Legislature, and it is not probable that he will be advised by this association regarding his reappointment. The Democrats did not dare nominate Maynard for judge, but Tammany has a better way. It was the chief executive and he can re-appoint Maynard without allowing the people to have a choice in the selection.

In the case of the Yale students who were charged with breach of the peace in the New Haven Opera House the presiding judge inflicted the full penalty of the law, a fine of $100. The action of the judge will be warmly applauded, the only regret being that the penalty is not more severe. During the progress of an entertainment these young rowdies threw torpedoes on the stage causing the audience to leave the house and causing a painful injury to the eye of one of the members of the orchestra. Fortunately there was a small audience present as there doubtless would have been a serious panic had the house been crowded.

The panic of 1857, as we have often before said, had no connection with the tariff in any form. It was entirely obvious that such was the fact at the time. No one even suggested that the tariff had anything to do with it then.—*Boston Herald.*

Commenting upon the above the Boston *Journal* says: There was one person of some consequence who suggested that the tariff might have something to do with it. It was the Democratic President of the United States who a few years before had been elected on a platform declaring for progressive free trade throughout the world. He recommended the protection of home industry as a remedy for the financial and industrial depression from which the country was suffering, and, what is more, Congress embodied this recommendation in law. That law, the Morrill protective tariff which passed the House at the session of 1859-60, was the foundation of our present protective legislation which the victorious Bourbons now propose to overthrow.

The New York *Herald* keeps up its fight against an extra session and says:

There is good reason for the belief, as will be seen by reference to our local column, that Mr Cleveland will not call an extra session of Congress to tinker with the tariff. This will doubtless be a disappointment to the free traders who are eager to precipitate legislation embodying their radical views, but it will be a welcome outlook to business men and the people generally who do not wish to see disaster brought upon the country by reckless changes in the tariff system.

This is an admission the people will do well to remember. When the *Herald* is forced to admit the danger to be expected from the prompt enactment of the Democratic pledges on the tariff it will be readily seen how the Cleveland campaign was conducted on the lines of false pretenses. If the Democrats themselves have reason to be fearful of the political effects of their own policy, the people are in a fair way to appreciate the folly of the revolution in the administration of the government before the expiration of four years.

Good Work

Almost every city and town in the country had more or less experience with the green goods swindlers. The business has largely grown to mammoth proportions, especially since the postal authorities have refused the use of the mails to the great lottery companies.

The operations of the "green goods" swindlers have been so skillfully managed that they have successfully baffled all attempts of the authorities at their punishment or suppression. Occasionally an arrest has been made, but as there were cogent reasons why the victims did not care to openly confess their own dishonesty by making complaint the swindlers were seldom disturbed, and the prosecutions usually ended in nothing important. The postal authorities have used every means to obstruct the opera-

SPECIAL NOTICES.

The Extension Feature of the MUTUAL BENEFIT LIFE Insurance Company, of Newark, provides that in case of lapse the policy is continued in full force, without action on the part of the insured, until the entire reserve value is exhausted. Example, a party insuring at age 35 can have over 4 years' insurance for 2 years' premiums; over 10 years' insurance for 5 years' premiums; over 20 years' insurance for 10 years' premiums. HOPKINS & HAWES, General Agents for Eastern Maine, 20 West Market Square, Bangor. dec19 su eod

CHRISTMAS OFFERINGS!

AT HARLOW'S DRUG STORE.

Come and look at our

Toilet Mirrors, Toilet Sets, in Leather and Celluloid,

Pretty Novelties in Celluloid,

All sorts of Toilet Brushes and Combs,

Shoe Blacking Sets in Leather,

Shaving Sets,

Infant Toilet Sets,

—AND—

A choice assortment of the finest Perfumes made, including the best of Pinaud's, Atkinson's and other makers.

HARLOW'S DRUG STORE.

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AVOID THE RUSH!

and select your Christmas Gifts from our new stock of

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NOW.

Marston & Gorham,

NO. 3 STATE STREET.

Open Evenings until Christmas.

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DESIRABLE RESIDENCE ON BROADWAY, FOR SALE!

The very desirable three story, swell front, brick residence No 31 Broadway, and valuable lot of land therewith, comprising the homestead of the late ELIAS MERRILL, is offered for sale.

The house is in excellent condition and finely situated in the most desirable residence portion of the city, where such property very seldom changes hands.

A RARE opportunity to obtain a very desirable residence.

Apply to

ISAAC H. MERRILL or to HARRY MERRILL

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A Choice Variety of MUNICIPAL BONDS

Of the highest character, for Safe Investment of Savings and Trust Funds, for sale at Lowest Current Rates, by

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NORTHERLY TENEMENT

of the two story brick house, ell and shed

No. 32 Essex Street,

which has just been put in excellent repair.

Possession at once.

Small family without little children preferred.

Enquire of

Blake, Barrows & Brown,

9 CENTRAL STREET, BANGOR.

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Life Insurance is one of the maturest products of the highest civilization and one of the noblest enterprises of modern times. It is designed to bring security and peace to the home, repose to the harassed mind of the business man, prudence and thrift to the young, relief and comfort to the bereaved. It aids all that is noble in society. It fosters morality, education, and religion. It works quietly and steadily to promote the prosperity and relieve the distresses of mankind. Like the silent action of rain and sunshine upon the crops it ripens blessings for after days in many lives.—Union Central Advocate.

Whole Life, Limited Premium Life, Endowment and Limited Premium Endowment policies are issued by

The Connecticut Mutual Life Ins. Co.

Nothing better, or at a LESS COST. Examine the contract at office of

H. N. FAIRBANKS, General Agent,

31 Main Street, Bangor, Me.

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Municipal Bonds

FOR INVESTMENT.

CITY, COUNTY AND TOWN.

EASTERN TRUST AND BANKING COMPANY,

BANGOR, MAINE.

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TO-DAY

We have many articles suitable for the Holidays, and some special bargains in

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In our Carpet Department we have set aside about twenty pieces of Brussels with borders, which we are unable to duplicate, and have placed a price upon them lower than we have ever seen quoted in any market. They are not back numbers or undesirable goods, but we must close them prior to stock taking, $1 15 per yard will make and lay them upon your floor.

We also offer our entire stock of Tapestries during this month at 75 cents per yard, as we make a specialty of fine goods and further remarks on this price are unnecessary.

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Turkish, Japanese, Wilton, Brussels, Smyrna, Byzantine.

The latter is comparatively a new article in this market, and is a Wool Rug finely woven, each pattern is confined to two colors. The Fabric has a beautiful plush effect and is very durable and artistic.

[illegible] Sweepers.

We have the best Sweeper in the market, and have anticipated our usual large sales by extra invoices during the past month.

[illegible]S.

We are headquarters for Screens of all kind in this market, and are displaying the largest variety in the city.

An Oak or Cherry Frame, filled with fine Pongee or Silkaline will cost you but $4 75, or a 5½ foot 4 fold Japanese can be bought for $4 50.

We pack them in strong cases for out of town trade without extra cost.

Down Pillows [illegible]S.

Down Pillows have become a necessity in every household, and we have yet to hear of any one who possesses too many of the useful furnishings for the modern couch. The Saddle Bag Cushions have "solved the tidy problem," and we can supply them in every shape, covered with Silks, Satteen and many novel coverings, original with ourselves. We cover them to order in our own work rooms at short notice.

Our line of Puffs comprises all the popular styles, and we shall close out our holiday stock at very low prices.

[illegible] and [illegible]S.

We could make a long story on this subject, but will cut it short. Will say that we will close out all odd and single Portieres at much less than regular price. Some at about half the usual cost. We will also sell any Irish Point or Swiss Curtain in our stock this month at 20 per cent. less than any former price.

Do not imagine that it is necessary to go to a larger city to find choice designs in window drapery, as we manufacture in our own work rooms the latest effects in modern drapery, and at much less than Boston prices.

Room Papers, [illegible], Mouldings

We are receiving our new stock in this department, and must close all the past season's designs at greatly reduced prices.

We shall be pleased to give estimates for decorating single rooms or whole houses, including preparation of the walls and hanging paper and mouldings.

As we are much the largest buyers of paper hangings in Eastern Maine, we shall be able during the coming season to make prices beyond competition.

Country traders who buy for spot cash can save money by obtaining their supplies from us.

Window Shades.

Estimates furnished for special work at lowest prices consistent with correct workmanship.

We also carry a large stock of ready made shades, over 1,000 now in stock from which to make selections at prices from 25c. to 50c. each.

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CHRISTMAS PERFUMES

In Every Style---Low Prices.

ROBINSON'S DRUG STORE, - - NO. 1 GRANITE BLOCK.

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E. J. DAVIS & CO.

A MOST STUPENDOUS SALE OF

Men's Fine Slippers.

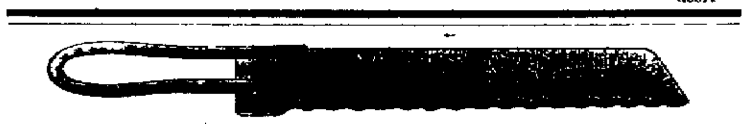
400 PAIRS

of Manufacturers' Samples in every conceivable style and kind, in sizes 6, 6 1-2, 7 and 8. Many of these samples have never left the factory, and the balance have been used by drummers for the fall trade.

EVERY LADY

should avail herself of this opportunity to secure a pair of these samples, which can be bought for less than the cost of manufacture.

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The above Knives, for bread, cake, carving and paring, are just the thing for Christmas presents, as no family which has ever used them will do without them. I am sole Agent for the sale of these Knives in Bangor and Brewer. All orders addressed to me at No 9 CHESTER PLACE, will receive prompt attention.

EDGAR T. PARKER.

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MARINE JOURNAL.

PORT OF BANGOR.

SATURDAY, Dec 17

ARRIVED.

Steamer Penobscot, Ingraham, Boston

CLEARED

Steamer Sedgwick, Barbour, Bar Harbor

Sch Celina, Murry, Washington, American Ice Co

Sch Isaac Oberton, Trim, Roslyn, thence to New York, lumber, Adams & Co

SUNDAY, Dec. 18

CLEARED.

Steamer Penobscot, Ingraham, Winterport.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

NEW YORK. Ar 15th schs Penobscot, Dodge, Fernandina Dec 7, Nellie S Pickering, McKeen, Jacksonville Dec 3. Bound South, sch Alice T Boardman, Frost, Calais. Cld, schs Isaiah K Stetson, Trask, Point-a-Pitre; Edward Stewart, Kent, Barbados.

MOBILE. Ar 15th, sch Celia F. Randall, Philadelphia.

DELAWARE BREAKWATER. Ar 15th, bark James G Pendleton, Lancaster, Pisagua (and sld for Philadelphia).

PROVIDENCE. Ar 16th, sch Annie P Chase, New York for Portsmouth.

SAN FRANCISCO. Ar 15th, ship Kate Davenport, Colfax, Nanaimo.

VINEYARD HAVEN. Ar 18th, sch A B Perry, Look, Calais for New York.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Sld from Liverpool Dec 12, stmr Indiana, Boggs Philadelphia direct.

Ar at Cienfuegos Dec 9, sch Sallie I'On, West Bangor.

In port Ponce, PR, Dec 5, bark Clara E McGilvery, Gilkey, from New York disg.

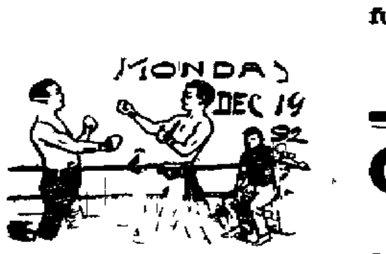
SPOKEN.

Ship E B Thomas, [illegible], from New York for Hong Kong, Nov 18, lat [illegible], lon [illegible] W.

MARRIED.

In this city, Dec. 18th, by Rev. [illegible], Mr. [illegible] and Miss [illegible], both of [illegible].

In [illegible], Dec. [illegible] by [illegible]



To NIGHT at Coney Island, Johnny Gorman and Jimmy Lynch will fight and will meet in the roped arena.

Johnny Gorman is the ameteur ex-champion, and Lynch is already matched for a go with Dixon if weights can be arranged. Dixon weighs but 118 lbs, and will concede Lynch only two pounds. Both men are to weigh in at 127 lbs, and may fight at 125 lbs.

Every Boy likes to have a sled.

We will give away FREE, until Xmas, a good hard wood sled, with every three dollar Boy's suit, Reefer, Ulster or Overcoat. We only do this to please the Boys, as it is well known that we have the Largest Stock of [illegible] in [illegible] and [illegible] [illegible]

FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

[illegible] FURNITURE [illegible],

14 and 16 Central St., Bangor, Me.

NOW THAT THE PEOPLE ARE THINKING

What they shall buy for the Holidays, it is well for them to turn a little good advice, and ours is: To put the money into articles that have a lasting value, and at the same time be ornamental and useful.

What can be better to invest money in than HANDSOME FURNITURE? We propose to enumerate in this sheet a few of the multitude of articles we keep, just to give an idea of what can be found at our mammoth store. Perhaps you will be surprised to read our claim to a "mammoth" store, but if you will do us the honor to call we will be pleased to show you through ten large rooms, all piled high with Furniture; our floor space is nearly an acre in extent. We call particular attention to our new

CHEVAL SETS FOR $25.

These are full sets of ten pieces and made in Antique Oak, Ash or Cherry, and we say this without fear of contradiction, that our price is the lowest in the United States.

WE ALSO OFFER A Handsome Antique Set 10 Pieces for $18.

It is made of both Oak and Ash. You can't beat this price if you travel the State over and price every set.

Elegant Oak, Walnut and Mahogany Sets, $80 to $200.

A new style of oak CHAMBER SETS with round French Plate beveled edged mirrors; is very handsome; nothing would please your wife better for a Christmas present, for the guest chamber, than one of these Sets. Come and see them.

OUR STOCK OF MIRRORS is the largest in the City, our prices will be found the Lowest.

We have an endless Variety of

Ornamental Chairs Over 100 Styles.

Embossed Leather Chairs from $3 50 to $40 00 each. Plush Easy Chairs all prices. Turkish Spring Rocking Chairs from $25 to $75. Roman Chairs, Plush Rockers, Rattan Chairs, from the celebrated manufactories of the Wakefield Rattan Co. and Heywood Bros. & Co., all styles from $2 50 to $15 each. Ten different styles of Velvet Carpet (Patent Spring) Rockers, from $3 50 to $5.50 each.

Folding and Mantel Beds

are the delight of all who see them and range in price from $12 to $100.

We Take the Lead in

PARLOR FURNITURE

And manufacture and carry in stock over fifty styles of sets, upholstered in every style and color. Prices range from $35 to $200.

We Make a Turkish Couch

That is the handsomest piece of Furniture for sale in the City. They are upholstered in any style of material desired. Please call and see them. Over 150 sold last year.

Parlor Desks in Beautiful Designs

And all kinds of woods. Very useful and ornamental. A most desirable present.

We have 50 elegant styles of side boards in Solid Oak, from $15.00 to $80.00. BOOK CASES are in our stock, at all prices. POLISHED WOOD TOP TABLES of most elaborate patterns, all prices. HANDSOME HAT TREES. We have fifty styles, from $5 to $75 each in DINING ROOM FURNITURE we defy competition. Our tables are artistic and elegant.

In conclusion, would say, that anything wanted in Furniture, that is ornamental or useful, can be had at our Store. We are bound to please and determined to sell, and guarantee our prices and terms to be the most liberal to be found in Maine. A visit to our rooms will be sufficient to convince the most skeptical that all we claim in this advertisement is but a trifle compared with what we have.

When in want of anything in the Furniture line be sure and remember us.

MAIL ORDERS We fill promptly all orders by mail and guarantee satisfaction if the selection is left to us. We invite correspondence from out-of town customers in regard to Christmas Gifts.

[illegible]'S [illegible] SLIPPERS,

AN ELEGANT Christmas Gift.

I have taken the agency on these goods, which are having such a rage in the larger places.

They are made from Soft Kid Stock in Tan, Red, Black, Pink, Rose Pink, Blue and Chocolate.

I have all sizes in the various colors in stock, which is the largest assortment east of Boston, and shall sell them for $1.25.

Look in my show window and examine them.

CHARLES [illegible] JONES,

No. 28 MAIN STREET.

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Christmas Presents!

A Bbl. of the Best in Bangor, Only $5.

[illegible] Three lbs. of the Best, only 25 cts., 14 lbs. $1.

Sage Cheese, Plain Cheese, Sweet Florida Oranges, Grape Fruit, etc., etc.

C. A. AVERILL, Granite Block, E. M. Square.

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HOLIDAY GOODS.

If you want a Lady's or Gent's fine Pocket Book, Card Case, or Leather Goods in General, Elegant Oak Cases for Gloves, Handkerchiefs, Jewels, Neckties, Cigars, etc, Photograph Albums, Gold Pens and Pearl Holders, Beautiful Books, you will find them at

Chas. Eight's Store.

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CREAM WAFERS.

SATURDAY, DEC. 17th,

and for that day only, we will sell our delicious Cream Wafers for

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We shall have a large quantity and want you all to have some, as this is the last time we shall sell them for HALF PRICE.

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57 CLOCKS

[illegible] DAY

Just Received a New Lot of [illegible]

THE ATKINSON COMPANY

—VERSUS—

CHRISTMAS.

"Christmas [illegible] [illegible]"

So give it a welcome when it does come. Let it find you with cheerful, comfortable homes, even if the outlay does leave a little less cash on hand.

Remember the Comfort

Of each other and as the holiday time comes round give something that will make the home brighter to the family. We are stocked with

Christmas Goods

and we will give you a choice in gifts and prices and terms that will enable you to do wonders for little money.

Rockers.

There is nothing to which the mother turns with such a sense of rest as to her rocker. It may be a reed or willow, or it may be a soft comfortable patent rocker. It rests her and if there is a woman who has no rocker of her own may her family read this.

Rockers $2.50 and upwards.

Lounges.

A lounge goes farther than a chair and when any one is too tired to sit up it makes itself felt. Many a time the mother would like to lie down a moment, but cannot stop to go up stairs. Would not every member of the family think this a nice Christmas gift?

Price $6.50 to $15. In Ramie Brussels, Moquette, Haircloth and Plush.

Clocks.

Kitchen clocks, Parlor clocks, Alarm clocks. All kinds of clocks from $1 25 to $18.

Easy Chairs.

Give the father an easy chair. It will make his eyes glisten to see it, and every night that he comes home tired from business he will sink into that chair with a sigh of relief and rest. Do you suppose he will forget who gave it to him? Easy chairs in Ramie, Haircloth, Moquette and Leather.

Prices $5.50 to $15.

Pictures.

Pictures and engravings after every style. Should you desire one of them we will give you special prices.

Lamps.

Lamps make fine gifts and there is such a variety. We have vase lamps and hanging lamps for the parlor and hall, piano lamps and banquet lamps. Lamps of all kinds and shapes from 50 cents to $60 for a beautiful piano lamp with onyx table. We have a piano lamp at $3 50 that is a beauty.

Rugs.

Fur rugs are all the rage and we can give you beauties in Bear and Goat skins. Smyrna rugs at Christmas prices.

Prices, $1 50 to $10

Carpet Sweepers.

Nothing is such a relic of the olden time as the broom. It is hard alike on the woman and the carpets, and the results are unsatisfactory. Get a carpet sweeper. We have the best from $2 50 to $3 50. It will last for years and make a perpetual holiday for your wife.

Centre Tables.

We have a choice assortment of centre tables at prices from $2 50 upwards. Nothing adds so much to a room in brightness and convenience as a table. All styles of finish.

Writing Desks.

For men, women, boys or girls there is nothing more appropriate than a writing desk. It's convenient. It affords a place for private letters and papers. It is used by all and every home should have a desk. We have all styles for home, office and offer a beautiful ladies desk for $10.

These are special Christmas goods. Should you desire Parlor suites, Chamber sets, Parlor stoves or Ranges, we will quote you special holiday prices. Carpets and draperies at a sacrifice. Christmas prices on everything and a merry Christmas to everybody. Easy terms of payment if you wish.

Come and let us help you prepare for Xmas.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1892.

FOR OTHER NEWS BY TELEGRAPH SEE FIRST PAGE

BY TELEGRAPH.

MAINE NEWS.

BOGUS CHECKS.

Arrested for Crooked Work in Biddeford.

BIDDEFORD, Dec. 17. A man giving the name of James Henderson, of Boston, was arrested in Saco to-night for attempting to pass a bogus check in a Biddeford store. He admits that he has been working the same game in Portsmouth, Exeter and other cities.

Is a Boston Man.

BIDDEFORD, Dec. 18. The prisoner arrested at Saco last night for attempting to pass worthless checks is J. Gean McLean, of Boston. He will stand trial tomorrow.

BODY FOUND

Of John Fleming, Drowned Two Months Ago.

LIVERMORE FALLS, Dec 17. The body of John Fleming, who with another man was carried over Rumford Falls and drowned over a month ago, was found caught to a rock near one of the bridge abutments Friday. The other body has not been recovered yet.

RATHER EARLY.

The Kennebec River Closes to Navigation.

AUGUSTA, Dec 18. The Kennebec river closed to navigation Saturday night. The freeze is generally good.

A NATIVE OF MAINE.

Death of Mr Constantine Dickman in Malden

MALDEN Mass., Dec 18. Constantine Dickman, one of Malden's oldest citizens, died at his home this morning after an illness of about ten days. Mr Dickman was born in Augusta, Me., 85 years ago when a young man he removed to this city. He was one of the oldest commercial travelers in New England and was engaged in the wholesale grocery business to up within ten years ago at which time he received a paralytic shock which incapacitated him for business. He leaves wife and two daughters. The interment occurs at Gardiner Me., Tuesday.

RAILWAY CONDUCTORS

Of Pine Tree Division Elect Officers

PORTLAND, Dec 18. Pine Tree Division No 16, Order of Railway Conductors, elected the following officers to-day: Chief Conductor, C. C. Berry; Assistant, C. B. Pratt; Secretary and Treasurer, S. S. Cahill; Senior Conductor, F. H. Cleaves; Junior, George L. Barbour; Inside Sentinel, J. B. Chandler; Outside Sentinel, L. W. Heseltine; Delegate to National Convention, W. Sprague; Alternate, H. W. Cook; Division Committee, F. S. King, E. C. Lacelle, F. A. McIntyre. The division dined at the Falmouth and installed the officers this evening.

GERMANS ON THE WATCH.

Find Some Comfort in France's Present Confusion.

BERLIN, Dec 17. The developments in the Panama scandal are watched here with the keenest interest. One comfort to Germany is that the spectacle of corruption and confusion among the French political leaders lessens Russian desires to make France an ally. Advices from St. Petersburg show that information has recently reached the Czar that a certain Russian paper received from Paris $100,000 for advocating a Russo-French alliance. An inquiry resulted in the discovery that the report was not only true, but that part of the bribes distributed by the Panama Canal Company had been accepted by a prominent person in Russia.

The Russian court party are hostile to the French alliance, and seized the opportunity to work on the Czar's prejudices against French Republicans. A German foreign officer is hopeful that General Worder, the new ambassador to Russia, will succeed in detaching the Czar from France and so lead to a new grouping of the powers. Another and to the German a far more important view, is that the

Chaos in France

may produce an adventurer who would hazard war with Germany as the best stroke to carry himself into power. The South German Gazette says some strong man who attained a temporary notoriety might imitate the first Napoleon and seize the opportunity afforded by the political disorder now prevailing in France to make himself master of her army and of the country itself.

The paper commends the French government for refusing to grant dictatorial power to the Panama committee of inquiry, and recalls the committee's first resolution as rendering every regular government impossible. It adds "The end was Cæsar," and a Cæsar is now desired by Boulangists, who think, with reason, that the right man will soon be found.

FEARFUL ACCIDENT

Eight Men Killed and Others Injured.

ALEXANDRIA, Minn. Dec. 18. An accident occurred on the Great Northern railroad this morning at Nelson Station, eight men being killed and five seriously injured. A freight train ran into a wrecking train standing on the track.

HELD IN $3,000 BAIL.

Charged With Furnishing Poison to be Given Non-Union Men at Homestead

PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec 17. The hearing in the case of Robert Beatty, charged with furnishing poison with which to poison non-union workmen at Homestead, was held this afternoon before Squire McMasters. The office of the aldermen was filled with curious spectators, most of whom were from Homestead.

"I will hold the defendant in $3,000 bail for trial at court," was the decision of the aldermen after hearing the testimony of half a dozen or more witnesses.

THE HARVARD TEAM.

The Foot Ball Captain for Next Year.

BOSTON Dec. 17. At a meeting of the Harvard Foot Ball Association, held this afternoon, B. G. Waters, '94, a Boston boy, was elected captain of the eleven for next year.

THE GOLD RESERVE.

Secretary Foster Will Use Every Means

The Condition of Mr. Blaine.

Mr. Blaine has a Serious Sinking Spell on Sunday.

Greatest Apprehension Entertained by Family and Friends.

Nations Hear Throbs With Deepest Sympathy.

[Special despatch to Whig and Courier.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18. A local paper startled the community to-night by putting out an extra causing the impression that Mr. Blaine had died, but it contained the statement of his precarious condition.

The facts are that he had a sinking spell this morning that greatly alarmed the family and he is undoubtedly in a very critical state.

At a late hour it was reported that the physicians did not appreciate any immediate fatal result but the gravest apprehensions are entertained that an unfavorable change may occur at any time.

The family and friends can only hope and pray that the life of the great statesman may be spared.

Trembling in the Balance

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18. All day long the life of Hon. James G. Blaine has hung trembling in the balance. For more than an hour in the afternoon hope was abandoned and the end was momentarily expected by his physicians, the family and friends. All simulation was thrown aside in the apparent imminence of death, suppressed facts of his illness—long-denied Bright's disease, occasional intervals of delirium, long hours when he had lain incapable of speech or motion (as is now said was the case when Cardinal Gibbons made his recent friendly call) and other distressing features of his illness.

All were incidental to the overpowering organic trouble, and Bright's disease, aggravated as this has been of late by a cold contracted while out driving and by malarial fever and confronted by a constitution impaired by nearly two years of continual sickness—all the facts are now tacitly admitted.

Has Had no Hemorrhages

The physicians assert that there has not been any hemorrhage and this is almost the only alarming symptom now denied.

The first crisis was reached between ten and eleven o'clock this morning when a sinking spell set in, from which the worst was feared. Mr. Blaine's family were called to his bedside, and his physician sent messengers to the nearest drug store with a prescription requiring hasty attention.

The distinguished patient lay unconscious and to all appearances dying, until shortly before one, when a slight rally set in. His pulse, which had almost ceased to beat, became again perceptible and partial consciousness restored. At two, his physicians, Doctors W. W. Johnson and Hyatt, considered him so much better as to render their constant presence at the bedside unnecessary. There had been no marked improvement and no change in his condition upon which hopes of ultimate recovery could be based, but the

Immediate Crisis had Passed.

At 2 30 a reporter saw James G. Blaine, Jr., at the family residence. He said his father's attack this morning was very bad and created the gravest apprehension. The patient became so weak that was feared a recurrence of the attack must involve the gravest consequences. Mrs. Hale, wife of Senator Hale, of Maine, one of Mr Blaine's close friends, was at the house several hours during the day and made a second call late in the afternoon.

About 5 she left and soon after Senator Hale called. Mr. Hale stated, as he left the house, that Mr. Blaine seemed a little more comfortable than earlier in the day but his condition appeared critical. "It may be he said, "that he may recover, but those who have an interest in him, have reason to be alarmed. In fact, his condition is alarming. It is difficult to name the trouble. It is a general physical breaking up. When he takes cold it brings on a consuming fever and he is not in condition to withstand it. Besides there are ordinary complications. His mind is perfectly clear."

Physicians Consult.

The house was lighted up early and all the lower shutters were closed. Drs. Hyatt and Johnson, who were to meet at the house for consultation between 7 and 8, were sent for just before 5. Both soon reached the house. Their arrival gave rise to the rumor that the patient was suffering another attack of exhaustion. This proved an error as the statement was authoritatively made at 7 P. M that nothing in the nature of a relapse had occurred. While the improvement in Mr. Blaine's condition was but slight, the reaction seemed to modify the feeling of apprehension for the immediate future.

James G. Blaine, Jr., and Walter Damrosch, walked down the Avenue this evening. All day representatives of the press patrolled Madison Place, carefully watching the old mansion, which has become celebrated for historical associations and the fatality with which misfortune has followed its occupants. From the Sickles-Key tragedy which occurred more than a

Third of a Century Ago

followed by the attempted assassination of Secretary Seward during the last year of the civil war, down to the present time a pall of ill-fate has hung over the mansion. During the less than four years' occupancy of this house by the Blaine family, Mrs. Coppinger, Walker Blaine and Emmons Blaine, the Secretary's children, have died.

A little after 6 both doctors left. Dr. Hyatt said Mr. Blaine's condition showed a slight improvement over morning.

They did not consider it necessary to issue another bulletin. Dr. Hyatt said he thought there was no doubt that Mr. Blaine would live through the night, but the patient was critically ill and any complication that might arise would cause a fatal termination to the illness. A little after 6.30, James G. Blaine, Jr., came out and said to a reporter: We think father is considerably better than this morning. He was dangerously ill during the forenoon. During the afternoon he seems to have rallied somewhat. The physicians were here this evening, and we now think he will live throughout the night. We

Hope for the Best.

Still, it must be said he is dangerously ill." These were the strongest statements made by the family or physicians as to the ex-Secretary's condition.

President Harrison, accompanied by Private Secretary Halford, walked over from the White House to the ex-Secretary's residence this evening to personally inquire as to his condition. They expressed relief and gratification at being informed that there had been some abatement of the more alarming symptoms.

Excitement throughout the city was intense as the news of Mr. Blaine's condition spread and the newspapers issued extras.

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At [illegible] P. M. Drs. Johnson and Hyatt saw Mr. Blaine again and gave out the following statement:

"Mr. Blaine seems to have rallied entirely from the weakness of this morning and appears as well as he has at any time within the past week. While it is not impossible to say what changes may take place in his condition he can be said to be in no immediate danger."

The Doctors told the family they had no apprehension within the next 24 hours. After they left the mansion the family retired for the night. At 1.30 this morning the mansion was shrouded in darkness with the exception of the sick chamber, where a light was burning.

CONGRESSIONAL.

Matters Acted Upon by the House Saturday.

House.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17. Mr. Breckinridge, of Kentucky, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported the Fortification Appropriation Bill. He gave notice that he would ask for its consideration January 5.

Mr. Otis, of Kansas, asked consent for the passage of a resolution instructing the Committee on Ways and Means to report back at an early date the bill imposing an income tax.

Mr. Springer objected.

On motion of Mr. Anderson, Democrat, of West Virginia, a resolution was adopted calling on the Secretary of the Interior for a statement showing the names of persons who resigned or have been discharged from the Census Bureau before and since Nov. 4, 1890.

In consideration in the morning hour Mr. Long opposed the measure, which extends for three years from June 3, 1892, the provisions of the act for the muster out and pay of certain officers and enlisted men in the volunteer forces. As he raised the point of no quorum, and as no quorum could be secured, the bill failed of a passage and its consideration was postponed until January 6.

A bill was passed authorizing the St. Lawrence Railroad Company to construct a bridge across St. Lawrence river.

The special order being the bill authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to settle the account between the Government and the State of Florida was considered in committee of the whole. Mr. Butler and Mr. Mansur were the chief advocates. In the course of inquiries addressed to the two gentlemen, Mr. Dingley elicited some information.

The claim is to reimburse Florida for expenses incurred in the Seminole War in 1855-57. According to Mr. Dingley there were but 96 Seminoles engaged in the outbreak. Congress had already paid to persons who had put down the outbreak $800 per Indian, and it was now proposed to pay them $2,000 per Indian additional. No action was taken.

Mr Myer announced the death of Senator Gibson, of Louisiana, and as a mark of respect the House adjourned.

FIRE RECORD.

Coal Wharf and Vessel Damaged.

FALL RIVER, Dec. 17. A large fire broke out at the wharf of the Barge Coal Co., to-night. The wharf property and coal shed have been damaged about $40,000. The three masted coal schooner, Ellwood Harlow, Capt. Gardner, New York, tied to the wharf, took fire and will be damaged about $15,000. Clark Chase, agent of the coal company, suffered a compound fracture of the leg by being struck by a falling beam.

Sunday's Gaze at the Wreck

FALL RIVER, Mass., Dec. 18. The fire engines did not leave the scene of last night's fire in the stables at the coal company's wharf property on Devol street, until long after midnight, and some portions of the place will continue to burn for some hours to come. The boilers of several of the engines were totally destroyed. They had been used for hoisting and conveying coal.

The large Chase elevator, costing over $11,000, used for lifting coal from the holds of vessels, was practically rendered useless by falling across the stern of the three masted schooner Elwood Marlow. Two thirds of the longest coal shed on the north side of Rodman's wharf will be torn down. About 3,000 tons of various grades of coal was stored in the sheds and much of it was materially reduced in marketable value by being mixed and soaked with water. The schooner Marlow was virtually wrecked. The main-mast was burned to the step and the vessel will have to be rebuilt from amidships astern.

Several captains say she will be useless except as a barge. She is aground. The report that one of her crew was drowned was without foundation. Agent Chase, of the coal company, was knocked overboard and suffered a fracture of the ankle besides bodily injuries, inflicted through being struck by falling timbers. He is comfortable and will undoubtedly recover.

Heavy Loss in Brooklyn

BROOKLYN, Dec. 18. Wm. B. Ajugen's wholesale grocery house was burned this morning and adjoining property was damaged. The loss is estimated at $400,000 to $500,000.

VALUABLE AGGREGATION

Fine Horses Arrived in New York from California.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18. The Hobart stud, of eighty-four horses, including Stamboul, Nancy Lee, Trinket, Eugenia and Alma Mater arrived this afternoon from California and are safely stabled in the American Institute building. It is the most valuable herd of domestic animals ever taken across the continent.

DIED OF JOY

Man Does Not Live to See Wife Restored to Sanity.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17. George Westlake died of joy Thursday night at his home, 431 Vernon avenue, Long Island City.

Mr. Westlake's wife was confined in the Middletown insane asylum since last September, and recently the superintendent wrote that she was fast recovering and would soon be well enough to return home.

Soon after the news reached him Mr. Westlake was taken with a pain in his heart. Physicians were unable to give him any relief, and he lived just long enough to make a new will, leaving all his property to his wife. A former will, in which Mr. Westlake had left his estate to his father, was destroyed.

The dead man was 49 years old, and worked as a model maker in the New York terra cotta works in Ravenswood. He was an expert and had saved $20,000.

In September, 1891, Mr. Westlake was in ill health, and his wife became greatly alarmed. The family physician advised Mr. Westlake to quit work. Mrs. Westlake insisted on it. She said they had money enough to live on, and they would go back to their old home in England.

This was the Plan

settled on and one day Mrs. Westlake started for Boston with two bank books to draw $7,000 they had deposited in that city. She got on a boat in the New London line by mistake, instead of one of the Fall River boats. This added to her excitement and before the steamer reached its destination she was a raving maniac.

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A Strange Case of Freak of [illegible] in Pawtucket.

Female Ceases to Grow at the Age of Nine Years.

Thirty-eight Years Passed [in] Little Crib.

PAWTUCKET, R. I., Dec. 17. [illegible] Donohue died here yesterday, [illegible] She was stricken with paralysis [at the] age of nine and for 38 years, had [occupied] the little crib in which her three [...] body reposed, nor during that [time has] there been any apparent growth [of] limbs, shoulders or trunk. After [...] her feet became locked, one on t[he] other, and knit together so that [the] foot, which was beneath the [...] hardly be seen.

Nevertheless her head grew a[nd] to its proper proportions as that [of a per]son who enjoyed good physica[l ...] Her hands were palmless and [...] fingers on her right hand and the [...] her left were boneless bits of f[...] inches long. Her memory was re[...] clear and her eyes beamed with

Brightness and Intelligence

She was a constant reader of [...] works, and remembered everythi[ng] she read and would repeat it fr[om mem]ory. She devoted all her time t[o ...] works of eminent Catholics.

Much of her time was spent i[n ...] and although she never expressed [...] people called on her it could b[e] seen from her manner that she w[as ill at] ease when gazed at too long. I[...] to her condition she would neve[r ...] word and was always as conte[nted and] happy as possible.

During her intense suffering [...] became covered with matter wh[ich ...] from the pores of her skin. At [...] substance could be removed, bu[t ...] last years of her life it became so [...] it was impossible to scrape it [...] when she died her person was c[...] embedded in the substance, whic[h ...] a dark slate color. The woman [has al]ways been taken care of by her [sis]ter.

WADE HAMPTON

Refuses to Again Enter the [...] Field

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17. Gen. C[...] Tanner, a Confederate soldier an[d ...]cal follower of Wade Hampton, w[...] to reconsider the resolution [...] again to enter South Carolina [...] To this Gen. Tanner has received [...] obliged to you for your kind lette[r ...] reached me a few days ago. I[...] possible circumstances or p[...] would I take any place offered [...] Carolina. I was urged to become [...] date for Governor at the last elec[tion ...] I refused, nor would I accept the [...] if every man in the state desired [...] so. I have settled my accounts [...] State and I am satisfied with the [...]

A CONTEST PROBABLE

A Large Estate to a Wife of [...]

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec 17. [...] test is likely to arise over the wil[l of the] late Cornelius W. James, the wea[lthy sec]retary of the New Haven Coppe[r Com]pany, of Seymour and New York [...] was offered for probate to-day. [...] found that James left the bulk [of his] property to his wife, of whom hi[s broth]ers and sisters had no previous k[nowledge] and whom he married but a few [...] fore his death. The case was p[...] for a week in the hope that the [...]ing parties might come to an ag[reement].

FIRST PRIZE

Zimmerman, of New York, Wi[ns ...] German Shoot

FRANKFORT-ON-THE-MAIN, Dec. [...] tave Zimmerman, of the New Yo[rk Inde]pendent Schulzer, carried off [...] prize to-day at rapid target shoo[ting ...] though two champion riflemen of [...] competed.

Zimmerman also carried off [...] prize in a similar tournament a f[...] ago at Wiesbaden.

FOREIGN NEW[S]

The Existence of Cholera in [...] Denied

BERLIN, Dec. 17. The Hamb[urg and] Berlin bourses were disturbed by [a re]port that twenty cases of cholera [and ...] deaths had occurred at Hamburg. [...] official denials were issued. The [...] had its origin in the fact that the [...]ties were clearing out people resi[ding in] dirty and overcrowded tenements [...] residents were ill and taken to [...]pital. This created the suspicion [that the] scourge had again appeared. The [...] removed to hospitals were sufferin[g ...] fever. The authorities of Hambu[rg have] taken extra measures to meet a th[...] re-currence of the epidemic [...] spring.

New Advertisements.

The Atkinson Co. versus Cl[...] forms the subject for discussion t[...] that enterprising concern. The[y ...] hosts of goods suitable for Cl[...] presents and will help you in th[e ...]lion. See what they offer in fine [...]

No one need bother his mind wh[at] to buy for Christmas, but should [...] the advertisement of the Prescott [Furni]ture Co., who have just what is w[...] the way of furniture. They are [...] very low prices on all goods for t[...] days and it will be well worth w[...] look over their fine stock and g[...] prices. They have the best goods [...] sure to give satisfaction.

A. H. Roberts & Son have many [...] suitable for the holidays and offe[r ...] special bargains in carpets, down [...] rugs, carpet sweepers, curtains an[d por]tieres, room papers, window shad[es ...] They have splendid lines and their [...]tion guarantees fair dealing.

Chas. J. Jones has taken the ag[ency ...] ladies' boudoir slippers, an elegant [...]mas present. He has them in all [...] and styles.

J. H. Snow & Co. have the fine[st and] most complete stock for Christma[s sup]plies to select from in the grocer[y ...] See what they offer.

Hopkins & Hawes give facts of [...]tance regarding insurance in thei[r com]pany.

J. Waterman will give free until [...]mas a good sized sled with every [...] suit, ulster, or overcoat. He has [...] line.

This is 53 cent day at J. T. [...] Co.'s.

This is 56 cent day at J. M. Da[...]

Edgar T. Parker is agent for t[he cele]brated bread knives. Order at 2 [...] Place. See notice.

BUSINESS ITEMS.

CHILDREN CRY FOR PITCHER'S CA[STORIA]
mch28 MWF&w

Blow, blow, blow! That disag[reeable] catarrh can be cured by taking [Hood's] Sarsaparilla, the constitutional rem[edy].

THE ADVERTISING

Of Hood's Sarsaparilla [...] the bounds of [...] [illegible]

LOCAL MATTERS.

There seems to be an epidemic of colds at the present time.

During the Christmas holidays it will be quiet at the Opera House.

Handsome Christmas displays are made in a number of the store windows.

The boys are anxiously waiting for a chance to try their sleds and skates.

The great question of the day: "What shall I buy for a Christmas present?"

Pickerel fishing is said to be very good in some of the ponds where the fish are found.

It is reported that counterfeit dollars of the date of 1878, are in circulation, and they are said to be an excellent imitation.

The Old Town woolen mill was shut down a day the latter part of last week on account of necessary repairs to a wheel in the pit.

Rev. S. D. Towne, of Old Town, will be assisted another week by Rev. H. W. Conley, of Ellsworth, in the revival meetings.

The Auxiliary of the Woman's Indian Association will meet this afternoon at three o'clock with Mrs. John B. Foster, on Broadway.

Some elegant music boxes in the window of R. J. Cushing's store on Kenduskeag Bridge attract much attention. Mr. Cushing has the agency of a leading maker.

The Bangor musicians and those in other places will be busy next week furnishing music for dances, many of which will then occur. It promises to be a gay week socially.

Wheelmen are still able to ride about the streets which present a hard surface and quite a number take advantage of the opportunity to mount their wheels as long as possible.

The hunters continue to have good success in the woods with the big game, but not as many animals have been shot recently as in the fall on account of the hard crust.

The fine December weather still continues and is making an unusual record this year. The theory that the climate is changing and that the Gulf Stream is wending its way northward, seems to be finding new advocates.

All persons interested in the distribution of the Christmas dinners are requested to meet in the Common Council room Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock. It is desired that all the members of the committee bring a complete list of names.

The service under the auspices of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew at St. John's Episcopal church yesterday afternoon at four o'clock was largely attended and the exercises were of much interest. The address by the rector, Rev. John McGaw Foster, was a very able effort, and there was appropriate music by a chorus choir.

The "Daily Workers," Circle of King's Daughters, will give a sale of Christmas novelties in the small vestry of the Hammond street church Tuesday afternoon and evening, December 20, commencing at 4 o'clock. No admission fee. The young ladies have worked hard to make the sale a success and deserve to be well patronized.

Mr. Wallace M. Farrington has taken a position in charge of the repair department of the store of Mr. R. J. Cushing, optician and jeweler, Kenduskeag bridge, with Curtis & Tupper, the druggists. Mr. Cushing opened his store Saturday and will without doubt meet with good success as he is a scientific optician and experienced jeweler.

All donations for the Christmas tree at City Hall on Friday next should be marked "Crusade Christmas Tree." This will save all mixing with the Christmas dinners. We trust the children will not be forgotten and liberal donations of candies, toys or anything that will please a child. If money is given it will be used to the best advantage.

The Massachusetts man who was mistaken by a companion for a partridge and shot in the leg while in the woods in the northern part of the State, passed through the city Saturday on his return, he having recovered sufficiently to be able to travel. It is understood that he will go to a hospital to receive treatment, the wound having been a severe one and not quickly recovered from. He was accompanied by friends.

"Our readers" of the Rockland *Tribune* are to be congratulated upon their improved condition. The *Tribune* says: The State prison inspectors looked through our new jail on Wednesday, and pronounced it first-class. The prisoners have been removed into it, and Knox county can now boast of another public institution of the highest grade. It is the nicest, warmest, most comfortable jail our readers were ever in.

The presentation of badges to the Hamlin Rifles, by Col. E. C. Farrington, State inspector of rifle practice, will occur this evening at 8 o'clock at the armory. The badges are those won by the company the present year at the rifle range, for excellence in marksmanship. The ceremony of presentation will be an interesting one. The Hamlin Rifles have done excellent work shooting this year and the medals were deservedly won.

The steamer Penobscot left port yesterday and went down to Bucksport to leave there to-day on a regular trip. It was deemed best to do so as there is a possibility of the river freezing over. While no ice would be formed through which the steamer could not go it would do the steamer no good and might spoil the ice crop. The steamer Rockland also left yesterday and will take the steamer Mt. Desert's route to-morrow.

Superintendent H. T. Sparks of the water department of the Public Works Company, is making a tour of inspection of the pipes and service in the different places where the system is in use. He has completed the work in Stillwater, Great Works and Milford and is nearly done in Old Town. The service is fast increasing and in Old Town especially the additions to the number who utilize the system have been numerous.

Col. T. H. Ryan, of New York, passed through the city Saturday with two moose about seven months' old, which he had purchased in [illegible] and which were

The Masonic meeting in Portland last week was attended by a number of prominent members in this section of the State.

The annual holiday Canadian excursion by the Maine Central, occurs December 22d and 23d. Tickets are good returning until January 21st.

The lumbermen are getting along fairly well in the woods. In some places there are from six to eight inches of snow, but the hauling is not especially good.

The Rockland *Tribune* anticipates Christmas by appearing out last week in a handsome new illustrated cover and with 12 pages of reading and advertisements.

A special meeting of the Municipal Officers will be held next Thursday evening for the purpose of drawing jurors for the January term of the Supreme Judicial Court.

The cantata "A Jolly Christmas," will be given in the vestry of the First M. E. church, Pine street, on Monday evening, December 26th, by the members of the Sunday school.

Miss Warner's Kindergarten on State street closed Saturday for the Christmas vacation. There were interesting exercises and a Christmas tree and the parents of the children were present.

The Penobscot Central Union, Y. P. S. C. E., will hold a meeting this evening at the Congregational church, Old Town. Much interest is taken in these meetings. The last one was held at Great Works.

Down river people, as appears by correspondence in the Rockland *Tribune*, have corrupted the pretty name of the little steamer May Field, formerly of this city, into Mayfield, a name neither correct, pretty or appropriate.

Superintendent E. W. Ware, of the Central church Sunday school, who recently declined a re-election has been persuaded to withdraw his declination, and will act as superintendent another year. His decision is very gratifying to the school.

Dockstader's Minstrels who appeared at the Opera House Saturday night leave this morning for Augusta where they will appear to-night. They will have a large audience. They have thus far had a successful Maine tour and will doubtless continue to do a good business.

The three masted schooner Celina left port Saturday for Washington, D. C., with a cargo of 800 tons of ice from the American Ice Company's houses, and 400,000 laths. The loading was accomplished very quickly as it was thought best to take no chances with the freezing up of the river. Everything about the port has been put in readiness for the ice embargo but it may be some time yet before the river finally closes.

AMUSEMENTS.

Dockstader's Minstrels

Dockstader's Minstrels were welcomed by a large and very pleasantly entertained audience at the Opera House Saturday night. The troup is the best Lew Dockstader has ever brought to Bangor and it was a festival of burnt corkism that all enjoyed. The company excels in its vocal department, the singing being a great deal better than one is accustomed to hear at minstrel performances. The voices are all good and the solos were well given, while the chorus singing was marked by close harmony and by expression.

The orchestra of ten pieces is a musical organization which does most effective service. Part first has a handsome stage setting and introduces the social session of the Knickerbocker Club, with Mr. Frank Dumont as chairman. This part of the entertainment is especially good.

Another feature were the songs, the jokes and "business" of Blocksom and Burns, Dockstader and Powers, with a very funny silhouette of Grover Cleveland by Mr. Dockstader, the fine dancing by Mr. Harrington and skillfully rendered banjo and banjay solos by Mr. Powers.

The olio contained among other pleasing features some well rendered songs by the vocal chorus of nine, an amusing trifle "Take my Card," "Ward McAllister," by Mr. Dockstader, giving advice on general topics and topical songs, Falke and Semons in musical novelties, Blocksom and Burns in original and amusing gyrations, and the concluding "Cake Walk" by the company. There was much applause during the performance and it was a very satisfactory entertainment on the whole.

Notes.

Among the early bookings at the Opera House are the following: "She Couldn't Marry Three," "The Vendetta," "Lost in London," "Ole Oleson," Madame Janauschek, "Kajanka," "The Runaway Wife," "Ullie Akerstrom, "The Devil's Auction," "Two Old Cronies" and "Yon Yonson."

Our Own Folks and Other Folks.

Mr. L. C. Tyler returned from Boston yesterday.

Hon. A. J. Chase, of Sebec, was in the city Saturday.

Mr. E. W. Gerry, of Foxcroft, was in the city Saturday.

Mr. Arthur W. Merrill, of Portland, is in the city on business.

Hon. James Weymouth, of Old Town, was in the city Saturday.

Hon. H. M. Heath, of Augusta, is in the city at the Bangor House.

Mr. Stephen Jennings, of Boston, is the guest of Capt. F. H. Noble.

Mr. John Watson, of Houlton, was in the city Saturday on business.

Mr. M. B. Howe, of Presque Isle, is passing the winter in this city.

Mr. F. B. Googins and son of Bucksport, were in the city Saturday.

Miss Lottie Swett is at home from Wellesley College during vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. George T. Thatcher have returned from their wedding trip to Canada.

Miss Maud Ware is home from Wellesley College to pass the Christmas vacation.

Mr. William Dobson and Miss Hattie Dobson, of Pittsfield, were in the city Saturday.

Mr. F. A. Colby was able to be out of doors Saturday, after being ill with typhoid fever.

Mrs. F. O. Alley, Mrs. William Fennelley and Miss Sara Hamor, of Bar Harbor, were in the city Saturday.

Miss Henrietta L. Rowe, from the Boston School of Domestic Science, is at home to pass the holiday vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Ilsley, of Houlton, are in Waterville for a week visiting Mrs. Ilsley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Morrill.

Mr. C. A. Lyon returned yesterday from a business trip to Boston. He attended the commercial club dinner Saturday at Parker's.

Messrs. W. L. Miller, J. H. Peavey, C. P. Hodgkins and A. C. Jerrard, have returned from a hunting trip to the northern part of the State.

Mr. A. B. Patten, of the Theological

STILL ANOTHER

Mistaken for a Deer and Fired Upon

Another case of thought-it-was-a-deer occurred at Mountainy Pond, North Ellsworth, Friday. Messrs. J. C. Hinckley, of Green Lake, and John McCarty and John Doyle, of this city, and Herbert Spencer, were deer hunting and started a deer. They fired at it, but missed and then separated. Mr. Hinckley and the Spencer boy were in advance of the others and when they came out from some bushes they were fired upon by McCarty and Doyle, who mistook them for deer.

A bullet struck Mr. Hinckley in the abdomen and came out near the hip. He was taken to his residence and a physician dressed the wound, the only danger from which is that of blood poisoning. The accident is another of the many warnings of the kind which have been given, but which do not seem to be heeded in the least. It is time that hunters became absolutely sure what they are firing at before they bang away.

The Ice Crop

It probably never happened before that an ice cargo was being loaded into a vessel on the Penobscot river on December 17th, but such was the case this year, the schooner Celina having taken a cargo from port on that date from the American Ice Company. The houses along the river are practically entirely cleared out and there will be plenty of room for the new ice which will be taken in this winter. If the conditions of ice, weather and market are suitable there will be a great deal of cutting this winter and the houses will be entirely filled if it is possible to do so. It is not anticipated that there will be any great boom calling for the stacking of ice at every place where a pound is to be found, but there will doubtless be a good steady and profitable business to the companies which have good houses and all the necessary facilities to work with.

As many of the companies have contracts to supply a certain number of years at a fixed price they are always sure of doing a good business and not much is left to chance. If there should be a scarcity of ice in New York state and other ice yielding places should fail then there would doubtless be hustling on the Penobscot, but not as much as has been the case in some years past. Ice making machines have cut into the trade somewhat but not enough to do much damage, so business can be reckoned on as fairly good whatever comes about.

Caught at Last

It will be remembered that THE WHIG printed a circular sent to the banks in this city not long ago, warning them against one Mrs. Annie Murphy, of Tacoma, Wash., who, it was thought might be in this section of the country. The surmise proved to be true, for while she did not fleece anybody in Bangor, at Houlton the case was the reverse. She pretended to be looking for a lost father, and succeeded in passing worthless paper to the amount of several hundred dollars.

A despatch to the New York *World* from Tacoma, states that she has been arrested and is in jail at Huntsville, Ala. She has appeared in male attire and has been doing a systematic draft forging business. She is said to be the wife of a Tacoma merchant from whom she parted not long ago. She has obtained quite a large sum by means of forged drafts.

Shutter Banquet.

The gentleman who had the good fortune to be a member of the famous "Shutter Club," or one of their invited guests Friday evening was sure of being not only classed among the princes of good fellows, but looked upon as a decidedly favored individual.

The banquet served at the Augusta House, Augusta, for the "Shutter Club" at this their fifth annual meeting was never surpassed by any spread that has regaled the guests of that hostelry in all the days that are past.

The members and guests present were G. H. Hill, president, Boston; W. B. Eaton, secretary, Bangor; W. B. Hill, T. M. Bickford, J. A. Fairbanks, F. H. Weatherbee, J. H. Blanchard, Fred Le Frances, Boston; C. S. Gilman, Portland; G. H Greeley, G. W. Pullen, F. A. Robinson, C. H. Bemis, J. F. Kelly, F. H. Owen, W. P. Farr, Bangor; E. W. McIntire, Rockland; E. C. Hamilton, Waterville; C. E. Weeks, Rockland; L. P. Senter, Portland; L. Stevens, Jr., New York; C. H. Osgood, A. G. Staples, H. A. Brick, Lewiston; W. Grinnell, W. H. Huse, F. J. Wiley, H. E. Capen, J. W. Pearson, Camden; T. J. Murphy; G. H. Philbrook, A. W. Thayer, Augusta.



A cream of tartar baking powder. Highest of all in leavening strength.—[Latest U. S. Government Food Report.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 106 Wall St., N. Y.

LIST OF LETTERS.

Remaining in the Post Office in Bangor, Penobscot County, Maine, SATURDAY, December 17, 1898

Persons calling for any of these letters will please say "Advertised," and give the date of the list

GENTLEMEN'S LIST.

Adams, Charles	McNeal, Robert
Barrows, C L	Piper, J R 3
Bean, Charles S	Osborne, E L
Cleaves, Samuel	Osborn, Dewis L
Capyers, Berryman	Richardson, E C
Cyer, David	Savare, A L
Davis, Sidney H	Smith, Capt A E
Dawling, W H 2	Stewart, Donald
Haskell, W B	Smith, Geo E
Johnston, A H	Smith, Isaac
Jones, W D	Tibbetts, Charles
Leland, Rev E F	Watters, O C
Lofstrone, Axcel R 2	Welch, James
McCann, J C	Wolf, Oscar
McKinaro, C B	Young, Daniel S
McLaughlin, C S	Young, John M

LADIES' LIST.

Cole, mrs Sasie A	Smith, Georgia A
French, miss Alice, 2	Stapples, mrs R H
Lancaster, Alice M	Thomas, Jennie L
Lowell, Lollie -4, 2	Thompson, mrs E C
Moore, Sylvester	Whitcomb, miss E F
Morey, miss Abbie R	Whittaker, mrs George
Smith, mrs Mary L	

A. B. FARNHAM, P. M.

Legislative Notice.

The undersigned hereby give notice that they will petition the next legislature for a charter to navigate by steam North and South, Twin Penadumcook and Ambajegus lakes for the purpose of carrying passengers and freight.

WILLIAM M. PEAKS,
CHARLES M. HARDEEN.



THE NEXT MORNING I FEEL BRIGHT AND NEW AND MY COMPLEXION IS BETTER.

My doctor says it acts gently on the stomach liver and kidneys, and is a pleasant laxative. This drink is made from herbs, and is prepared for use as easily as tea. It is called

LANE'S MEDICINE

All druggists sell it at 50c. and $1 a package. If you can not get it, send your address for a free sample. Lane's Family Medicine moves the bowels each day. In order to be healthy this is necessary. Address, ORATOR F. WOODWARD, Le Roy, N. Y.

ENTERTAINMENTS.

OPERA HOUSE,

FRANK A. OWEN, Manager.

Tuesday Evening, Dec. 20,

At 8 O'clock

ACROSS THE CONTINENT,

An Illustrated Lecture, with numerous Stereopticon Views, by

CHARLES L. FLINT,

OF BOSTON.

Admission, 15 and 50 cents

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REAL ESTATE.

FOR RENT — Nice new tenement for small family or man and wife. Inquire at 16 Essex Street. C. D. WYER. dec14 1w

FOR RENT — Pleasant tenement of 8 rooms on Davis street. Possession given about Nov 22nd. Apply to F. H. DAVIS, at 131 Main street, corner Davis. nov2 tf

FOR RENT — The upper tenement of the Cutter house, No. 45 Grove St., containing eight rooms. All in thorough repair with modern improvements. Apply to W. CUTTER. nov2 tf

FOR SALE. House lots on Highland, Ohio, Jackson, Montgomery, Langdon, Norfolk, Fountain and Grant Streets. M. LINCOLN, 41 Exchange Street. may4

Wanted, Lost, Found, To Let, Etc

Advertisements under the head of wanted, lost found, to let, etc, not exceeding four lines, 10 cents each insertion when prepaid. When not prepaid, regular advertising rates will be charged

LOST — A package of memorandum books between Bangor and North Newburgh by way of West Bangor across the Carpenter road to North Carmel, from thence across to Herman Pond station. Finder will be rewarded by leaving same at this office. dec17

WANTED — 200 Woodsmen at 81 Exchange Street. R. KELLEY. dec9

Gentleman and Wife

or single gentlemen can obtain pleasant rooms and table board at 126 French street. nov21 tf

FOR YOUR

[illegible]

The Finest and Most Complete Stock to select from in the city

Table and Cooking Raisins,
Washed Currants, Citron,
Figs, Dates,
Epicurean Spices, Herbs,
Poultry Dressing,
Leaf Sage,
Boiled Cider,
Rae's and Vve Chaffard's
Olive Oil,
Salad Dressing,
Olives, Chow Chow, Girkins,
Pitted Olives,
Club House, Edam, Roquefort, Neufchatel, Plain Dairy and Sage Cheese,
Shelled and Salted Almonds,
Alghieri's and Franco American Soups,
Condiments.

These and all other necessaries and delicacies may be found at our store.

Favor us with your orders early.

JAMES H. SNOW & CO.,

25 West Market Square.

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HOME MADE PRESERVES,
HOME MADE PICKLES,
HORSE RADISH AND SAUERKRAUT,
—AT—

CHAS. YORK & CO'S.

dec15

J. W. E. MURDOCK,

PIANO TUNER,

from Boston, is now in Bangor, on his semi annual trip. Orders left at George S. Silsby's Music Store will receive prompt and careful attention. dec12

LATEST.

Josselyn's Dainty Cream Flakes, And Rockwood's Chocolate Creams.

Celery from Boston, Sweet Potatoes.

THOMPSON & KELLOGG.

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RAILROADS.

Maine Central Railroad.



Arrangement of Trains.

In Effect Oc'. 2, 1892.

Until further notice trains will leave Bangor as follows

GOING EAST

6 45 A.M —For St. Stephen, Aroostook County, St. John and all points East of Bangor in Maine and the Provinces, with Parlor car for St. John
7 35 A M —For Old Town and B & P R.R.
11 30 A M —For Old Town, Milford and B & A R.R.
12 20 P M.—For Old Town Mattawamkeag, Vanceboro and way stations
12 25 P M —(Mixed) for Old Town and Mattawamkeag
4 35 P M —For Old Town
7 35 P M —Night express train for St Stephen, Woodstock, Aroostook County and St John with sleeping car for St. John attached, daily Sundays included, to Vanceboro and St. John

GOING WEST

7 30 A M —For Waterville, Augusta, Hallowell, Gardiner, Brunswick, Lewiston, Bath, Portland and Boston connecting at Newport for Dover and Foxcroft, at Waterville for Oakland, Winthrop, Farmington etc and at Portland for all points via White Mountains Division Lancaster Cole Brook N H Quebec, P Q, and Montreal and the West Runs daily Sunday included Parlor car Boston
12 30 P.M —(Mixed) for Waterville and way stations
1 40 P M —Flying Yankee with through Parlor car via Augusta for Newport, Dexter Dover and Foxcroft Pittsfield Burnham, Belfast, Waterville Augusta Portland and Boston
4 40 P.M —For Dover and Foxcroft and B & P R R via Dexter and mixed from Newport for all stations as far as Waterville inclusive
8 00 P M —Every Night for Portland and Boston via Augusta connecting for Lewiston Bath and Rockland, with Pullman sleeping cars attached
Night trains between Bangor and Boston and between Bangor and St John run every night Sundays included

BUCKSPORT BRANCH

Trains leave Bangor for Bucksport at 7 40 A M, 1 45 and 10 P M Arrive at Bucksport at 8.35 A M 3 a and 8 15 P M Leave Bucksport for Bangor at 5 40 and 10 50 A M and 4 50 P M Arrive in Bangor at 6 55, 11 50 A M and 6 00 P M

MT DESERT BRANCH

Trains leave Bangor for Ellsworth and Bar Harbor at 00 A M 8 10 A M mixed 00 P M Leave Ellsworth at 8.25 11 05 A M (mixed) and [illegible] P M Arrive at Bar Harbor 10 15 A M [illegible] P M mixed and 9 30 P M weather permitting ferry passage All trains except [illegible] 00 P M connect for Sullivan and Sorrento
Train leave Bar Harbor (steamer at 00 and 11 30 A M [illegible] 3.40 P M Leave Mt Desert Ferry A M [illegible] P M (mixed) and 5 10 P M Leave Ellsworth 10 10 A M 00 P M (mixed) [illegible] P M Arrive in Bangor at 11 30 A M 4 15 mixed and 00 P M

ARRIVALS

Through trains from the East arrive at 6 35 A M 1 30 P M Yankee and 10 1 M From B & P R R 11 05 A M and 6 30 P M From Milford [illegible] Mattawamkeag (mixed) 11 05 A M
From the West—Arrive from Boston and Portland 5 35 A M and 6 30 P M From Portland [illegible] A M From Waterville and from Dover and Foxcroft via Dexter 9 1 and 11.35 A M and 6.30 P M From Waterville and Belfast at 12 00 M [illegible] Sunday paper train 11 15 A M
NOTE The arrival and departure here given is that at Maine Central Depot for Exchange street Depot a slight difference should be allowed
Through tickets to principal points East and West, all routes are on sale at the Maine Central Ticket Office For Pullman Berths or information call on or telephone A W Benson Ticket Agent
PAYSON TUCKER,
Vice President and General Manager
F E BOOTHBY
General Passenger and Ticket Agent
Sept [illegible] daw

Bangor & Aroostook R. R.

PISCATAQUIS DIVISION.

ARRANGEMENT OF TRAINS

STANDARD TIME

On and after THURSDAY Oct 1

Passenger trains leave Bangor Maine Central station at A M and 1 35 P M For Greenville and intermediate stations arriving in Dover at 10 A M and [illegible] P M and Greenville at 11 5 A M and 5 35 P M Katahdin Iron Works [illegible]
Passenger trains leave Greenville at 6 40 A M and P M Dover at 7 45 A M and 1 30 P M Katahdin Iron Works 5 40 A M and 1 30 P M arriving in Bangor Exchange street at 10 00 A M and 4 15 P M connecting with Maine Central Railroad for Portland and Boston
A Mixed Train leaves Bangor Exchange street at 11 40 A M arriving in Dover and Foxcroft at 4 P M and Greenville at P M Katahdin Iron Works P M
A Mixed Train leaves Greenville at 3 40 A M and Dover and Foxcroft at 8 30 A M Katahdin Iron Works at 5.30 A M arriving in Old Town at A M
Railway connection at Old Town and Dover and Foxcroft with Maine Central Railroad at Monson Junction with the Monson Railroad At Greenville with Canadian Pacific Railway

STAGE CONNECTIONS

At [illegible] with Sebec daily for Sebec Village and [illegible]
At [illegible] Village daily for Willimantic
At [illegible] for Parkman

STEAMBOAT CONNECTIONS

At Greenville to and from Kineo and Lily Bay
F W CRAM General Manager

THE

CANADIAN PACIFIC Ry.

[illegible] following lines of

TOURIST SLEEPING CARS

[illegible] station Montreal [illegible]

To Detroit and Chicago,

[illegible] TUESDAY at 9 00 P M

TO SEATTLE

[illegible] the

PACIFIC COAST,

Every WEDNESDAY at 8 15 P M

To Minneapolis and St. Paul

[illegible] LINE
[illegible] SATURDAY at 11 45 A M
[illegible] passage tickets to points [illegible] accommodation in these [illegible] a small additional charge per [illegible] Ticket Agents
[illegible] MCPHERSON
[illegible] Pass Agent Asst Gen Pass Agent
Montreal St John N B
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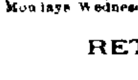
STEAMBOATS.

BOSTON & BANGOR

Steamship Co.

Change in Time.

THREE TRIPS A WEEK TO BOSTON.



Commencing Monday November 7th 1892 steamers will leave Bangor for Hampden, Winterport, Bucksport, Searsport Belfast, Camden, Rockland and Boston Mondays Wednesdays and Fridays at 11 00 A M

RETURNING

From Boston, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 4 00 P M
From Rockland, Tuesdays Thursdays and Saturdays at 6.00 A M, touching at Camden Belfast, Searsport, Bucksport, Winterport, and Hampden
HENRY T SANBORN, Agent, Bangor
WILLIAM H HILL, General Manager, Boston
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WINTER ARRANGEMENT, NOV. 1st, 1892.

Two Trips Per Week.

STEAMER CIMBRIA

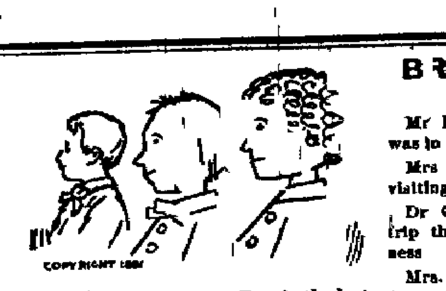
Leaves Bangor Every
WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY,
at 7.30 o'clock A.M.,

Hampden, 8.00, Winterport, 8.45, Bucksport, 9.30, Sandy Point, 10.00, Fort Point, 10.15, Castine, 11.00, Islesboro, 11.30, Hughes Point, 12.00, Sargentville, 12.45, Deer Isle, 1.00, Sedgwick, 2.00, Bass Harbor, 3.00, S. W. Harbor, 4.15, N. E. Harbor, 4.30, Seal Harbor, 4.45, Goose Cove, Saturdays and Tuesdays, 3.45, arriving at Bar Harbor at 5.00 o'clock.
Fare to Bar Harbor, [illegible]
[illegible]
The Steamer leaves Bangor after arrival of all morning trains, and arriving from Bar Harbor in season to connect with all evening trains over Maine Central R. R. East and West and for Bar Harbor.

—RETURNING—

STEAMER CIMBRIA.

Leaves Bar Harbor for Bangor, every
MONDAY, AND THURSDAY,



The smallest is the best in pills, other things being equal But, with Dr Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, nothing else is equal. They're the best, not only because they're the smallest, and the easiest to take—but because they do more good They cleanse and regulate the liver, stomach and bowels in a way the huge, old-fashioned pill doesn't dream of Think of trying to *regulate* the system with the ordinary pill. It's only good for upsetting it.

These are mild and gentle—but thorough and effective, no pain—no griping One little pellet for a laxative—three for a cathartic The best Liver Pill known Sick Headache Bilious Headache, Constipation, Indigestion, Bilious Attacks and all derangements of the liver, stomach and bowels are prevented, relieved and cured.

Put up in sealed vials—a perfect vest pocket remedy, always convenient, fresh and reliable

They're the *cheapest* pill you can buy for they're *guaranteed* to give satisfaction, or your money is returned It's a plan *peculiar* to Dr Pierce's medicines

You pay only for the good you get. Can you ask more?

BREWER ADVERTISEMENTS.

SHORTHAND AND TYPEWRITING

Thoroughly taught at reasonable rates the best systems Day or evening lessons
Typewriting of all kinds done at low prices

EVERETT L. MESERVEY,
Main Street, - - South Brewer
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A CHRISTMAS TREE

can be fitted out from my store, as I have all the requisites and a fine line of them, too See my HOLIDAY GOODS The best line of Candy in the city Eaton's best fresh Fine chocolates Box Paper and School Supplies.

W. G. LOVELL, - Cor. [illegible] & Wilson Sts.
dec14 **Brewer.**

A CHRISTMAS SUGGESTION!

FOR XMAS GIFTS GO TO RAY'S.

I have a very large line from which you can select a present for every member of the family Just call and see the dainty novelties I have in CELLULOID GOODS Some exquisite PERFUMERY would be a nice present Hem stitched handkerchiefs 6 for 25c and fine linens The finest line of BOX PAPER ever shown in the city See my assortment of BOOKS Everything at reasonable rates and many surprisingly low prices

ALLAN G. RAY,—NO 98 MAIN STREET BREWER
dec12

3 lbs. Cooking Raisins, 25c.

Good Cooking Molasses, 35c.

Prunes Honey Popping Corn and Hen Feed of all kinds One Black Walnut Centre Table for sale cheap.

H. C. CLAPP,—NO 2 FARRINGTON BLOCK, BREWER
dec6

Take Your

LAUNDRY WORK

to the BREWER LAUNDRY, where it is done the best and being done by hand saves much wear on the clothes Satisfaction guaranteed

Wilson Street Near Ferry, Brewer.
F. A. HOLT, Proprietor.
[illegible]

Orono National Bank.

The stockholders of the Orono National Bank are hereby notified that their annual meeting will be held at their Banking Room on MONDAY the second day of January next, at 2 o clock P M for the election of a board of directors and the transaction of any other business that may legally come before them
ALBERT WHITE Cashier
Orono Dec 2 1892 dec3 td

First National Bank of Bangor.

The Stockholders of the First National Bank of Bangor are notified that their annual meeting will be held at their Banking Rooms on TUESDAY the tenth day of January next, at three o'clock P M for the choice of Directors and for such other business as may legally come before them
E G WYMAN Cashier
Bangor December 8, 1892 dec9

Partnership Notice.

The undersigned have this day formed a copartnership for the purpose of carrying on a general retail grocery business at No 11 East Market Square under the firm name of Thompson & Bartlett
WM. H THOMPSON
JOHN W BARTLETT
Bangor Dec 12 1892
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Kenduskeag National Bank.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Kenduskeag National Bank of Bangor will be held at their Banking Room, on TUESDAY, January 10th 1893 at 11 o'clock A M, to choose a Board of Directors and to transact any other business that may properly come before them
W H S. LAWRENCE, Cashier
Bangor Dec 8, 1892.

Veazie National Bank of Bangor.

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of this Bank will be held at their Banking room TUESDAY the tenth day of January next, at three o'clock P M , for the choice of Directors and the transaction of any other business that may legally come before them.
A. B. TAYLOR, Cashier
Bangor, Dec 7, 1892. dec8

STATE OF MAINE.

PENOBSCOT SS Court of Probate, November Term, A D 1892

T H Wiggin, named Executor in a certain instrument purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Thomas J Witherly, late of Bangor, in said County, deceased, having presented the same for Probate,

Ordered That said Executor give public notice to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this Order to be published three weeks successively in the Bangor Daily Whig and Courier, a newspaper published in Bangor, in said County, that they may appear at a Court of Probate for said County, to be held at the Probate Office in said Bangor, on the last Tuesday in December next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be proved, approved and allowed as the last will and testament of said deceased
JAMES H BURGESS, Judge
Attest AMBROSE C FLINT, Register
A true copy of the original
Attest AMBROSE C. FLINT, Register
dec6 3w

ELECTRIC LIGHT

METER RATES,

for dwelling houses only, one cent per hour for each sixteen candle power lamp while actually lighted.

A discount of 10 per cent will be allowed on all quarterly bills paid within 30 days from the expiration of the quarter.

On larger bills paid within ten days from end of quarter, an additional one per cent, will be allowed for each dollar of the bill in excess of ten dollars, viz: Quarterly bills of $11 paid as above are subject to 11 per cent. discount; quarterly bills of $12 paid as above are subject to 12 per cent. discount, quarterly bills of $13 paid as above are subject to 13 per cent, discount, and so on up to $30 or more on which 30 per cent. discount will be given. The meters are absolutely accurate.
All those who desire [illegible] before January 1st must leave their orders soon.
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DR. [illegible]

BREWER LOCALS.

Mr Harry Bates, of East Bucksport, was in the city Saturday.

Mrs Franklin Wakefield, of Auburn, is visiting in the city for a time.

Dr C. H. Fernald is on a two weeks' trip though Piscataquis county, on business

Mrs. Charles Brown, of Bucksport, formerly of this city, was visiting here for a few days last week.

Mrs A F. Marsh and son, of Old Town, who have been visiting in Eddington, have returned to their home

Mrs. C L Hackett, of Patten, formerly of Brewer, will arrive here this week for a visit with friends in the city.

Mr. Harvey White has taken a position as clerk in Mr George Homstead's store in Bangor through the holiday season.

Some improvements have been made in the interior of the Williams house, on Holyoke street, adding to its conveniences

Mr. and Mrs John Wallis, of St John, N B , are visiting with Mr Wallis' parents, Mr. and Mrs J. A. Wallis, at their residence on Holyoke street.

Everyone is now deciding what to give friends and relatives for Christmas presents, and the stores will be filled with would be purchasers during the week

Mr R. B Matthews, who for some time has had charge of the South Brewer Congregational church, preaches his farewell sermon two weeks from yesterday.

The river was skimmed over with a thin coating of ice Saturday morning, but the passage of boats through it soon broke it to pieces and it floated away down stream

Mr W F Abbott has started his dancing school, at Bucksport, and on the first evening there were about thirty couples present The school promises to be a successful one

Miss Grace Bramhall is preparing for another musicale to be given by her pupils at her home, on State street, some time after Christmas It will undoubtedly be a fine event

Mr M. W Wiswell was expected home, Saturday, from Waterville, where he has been working in the interests of the merchants' Retail Commercial Agency, and will probably go to Aroostook county shortly, he having taken the agency for Eastern Maine.

A small party of gentlemen in the city have heard so much about deer having been seen within the city limits that they have determined, it is reported, to make a personal investigation in regard to the matter—in other words they are going on a hunting trip for those deer They intend to start out to-morrow morning and scour the woods from South Brewer to Eddington, and are in hopes that they will get some venison for their trouble

Saturday night the weather was very cold and it continued so yesterday, and as a result the river is frozen over The ferry boat Bon Ton got up steam in the forenoon but it was decided not to run her as the ice was quite thick and was freezing all of the time If the cold snap continues the Penobscot will probably be closed for navigation Yesterday the ice was about an inch in thickness near the shores but thinner in the channel It is not yet thick enough to bear the weight of a person in safety and it should be kept off of until its solidity is sure, which will not be for some days yet at least.

The regular weekly meeting of Volunteer Circle of King's Daughters will be held this evening with Mrs George Pettingill at her home on Wilson street and all members are requested to be present The members of the circle have a project for the establishment of a reading room in the city which they hope to make a success It is a very worthy purpose and is deserving of the aid of all who are able to render it, and the ladies will undoubtedly receive the support of many of our people when they carry their plan into execution

ANOTHER NEW STEAMER It was announced in THE WHIG some time since that it was possible that Capt S H Barbour might build a third steamer at his yard during the coming winter, this time another yacht for his own use, and now the veteran steamboat builder has fulfilled his intentions by having the keel of the boat laid This was done last week, and the stem and stern posts are now in position The new craft will be of the regulation steam yacht design, the model being, however, of course, one after Capt Barbour's ideas in regard to the matter, with an overhanging bow, masts and a short bowsprit She will be about 63 feet long over all about the length mentioned in our previous mention of her, and 11 feet wide, there being no sponsings It is hardly necessary to predict that she will be a handsome and speedy steamer, for that is a quality which Capt. Barbour is most successful in giving his steamers, and she will be fitted up in a fine manner The Captain has not decided as yet whether he will finish her during the coming winter, but he will at least get the frame up, put the ceiling in and have the main deck put in, in order to completely close her in The keel, which is of hard pine, is laid on the lower side of the first steamer which was started at the yard this fall and but a small crew is working on the boat This makes three steamers which are now in course of construction at the yard.

on a log, while the reporters squatted around him. He said:

"I was quoted incorrectly in one particular in the published interviews which were sent from the other side. I was reported as having said that the people were kind to each other and became brave after the prayer-meeting in the saloon. I said that they were kind to each other from the time the accident occurred. It was remarkable to see the calmness and bravery of the passengers. There was no panic, as far as I could see, and I think you will agree that I have pretty good eyesight. The Austrian who jumped overboard was apparently flighty and mentally distressed before the accident happened. The accident was like any accident of the kind that might happen The shaft broke, and its violent revolutions under those conditions tore a hole in the bulkhead and allowed the water to enter two compartments. It attacked the third compartment, but the officers and crew fought it there and conquered

"Now as to prayer," he then said in answer to a question, "we prayed as people always do in times of danger. Then they turn to the Lord On Saturday Mr. Moody asked me to come to his room and pray with him. I did so. We prayed that the sea might be quiet, and that we might be saved, and we united in a fervent petition for the good of all. And the sea was quiet and help came I think that God showed himself very merciful to us. On Sunday we had a general service, and almost all on board the ship came. It was a simple service. All expressed their reliance on the Lord for the safety of the ship. That is all I have to say. I cannot presume to interpret the actions of the Lord."

At this point one of the General's sons, who had come to meet him, interposed, cautioned him not to say any more He told General Howard that there had been a controversy between Mr Moody and a Boston preacher in regard to Mr. Moody's assertion that prayer saved the ship General Howard at once said that he could not enter any controversy, and added that he did not intend to say anything sensational

THE AMERICAN TROTTER

Secretary Tracy Thinks it Will Eventually Equal, if Not Exceed, the Runner in Speed.

"I should not be surprised if in the course of time, and not very far in the future, the trotter will equal, if not excel, in speed the runner "

The author of this sensational prophecy was Secretary Tracy, of the Navy Department, one of the closest and most astute students of the breeding problem in America.

"Two years ago," he continued, "when I predicted that within two years a mile would be trotted in 2 06 or better, and that in ten years a horse would be found that would do the mile in two minutes, the proposition was received with amazement by some and with derision by others Nevertheless, 2 06 was beaten within one year from the time I made the former prediction, and I shall not be at all startled to hear at any time after July 1, 1893, that the two-minute trotter has arrived

"It may not be generally known, but it is a fact, that as long as ten years ago, in a controversy with Mr Wallace of 'The Trotting Register' I predicted that the limit of the trotting horse had not been reached, nor was it likely to be reached, for many years to come On the other hand, Mr Wallace maintained that 2 10 was about the limit of his powers The reason for the faith that was in me then is that horses at the trot, even at that time, had in some portions of their heats or trials shown a two-minute gait I took it for granted that the breeding of our light harness horses would gradually improve, and that it was only a question of time when a horse would be bred that could carry for a full mile the rate of speed shown in an eighth or a quarter, as the case might be, of a two-minute clip Did I think it necessary, I could name a score or more of horses that have shown a speed in quarters and halves that if maintained for a mile would have solved the two-minute problem beyond question "

"How much has the improvement in driving, shoeing harness, tracks and sulkies had to do with the increased rate of speed within the last ten years?"

"They have contributed something, but in my opinion not as much as some persons maintain Horses, as I have heretofore stated years ago, when all the accessories were crude, showed marvellous speed for short distances Now, with this fact in mind, it must logically follow that the horse himself is the main factor in the lowering of records He is nearing perfection Mind, I do not say he has reached it by quite a number of degrees, but the light-harness horse is gradually approaching the goal, and whatever has been achieved in 1892, the most sensational period in the history of the trotting horse, is due more to the improvement of the animal than to anything else that can be named. With all due respect, I cannot accept the argument of Mr Robert Bonner that the low records achieved this year are largely due to the kite-track, or bicycle sulky To do so, would be to belittle, in a great measure, the American trotting horse, it would be to argue that the horse of yesterday, or of last year, was as good as the horse of to-day, it would be giving too much credit to man's mechanical genius and not enough to his skill in blending the most potent strains of blood; more than this, it would mean that after all our increase of knowledge of the science of breeding, we are not progressing, or in other words improving

"There is another matter that is pertinent to this discussion, it seems to me, namely, the question of high stud fees. They are altogether too high, in my opinion, and must be lowered If they are not there is going to be a drop, sooner or later, in the breeding business Just think of it I take up my paper from day to day, and in looking over the sales of the trotting horses and young things, I see numerous instances where the foal has sold for several dollars less than was paid for the service of the horse. In some cases for hundreds of dollars less It does not require an astute mind to see where such a state of things if continued will lead the breeders of the country No Stud fees must come down So preposterous are the fees charged by some owners of stallions that I have sometimes doubted whether they received what it has been stated that they got Again, more colts must be gelded We have got too many indifferent stallions now without increasing the number. We have got too many poor stallions and not enough first-class geldings

"I also desire at this time and in view of what has been accomplished on the trotting turf, to reiterate what I said to you one year ago, which was that if you wish to raise trotters you must breed trotters to trotters. It is only necessary to analyze the pedigrees of the fastest trotters of 1892 to demonstrate this proposition "

"Will the fashionable families of to-day be the fashionable families of the future in trotting-horse breeding?"

"Yes, to a large degree It is hard to ascertain where we can get potent crosses outside of the Mambrino, Nutwood, Wilkes, Clay, Pilot, Jr , and Morgan strains. I see nothing to gain in dipping farther into thoroughbred blood. We have already extracted from it all of its virtue. The well-bred trotter of to-day is as game as, if not gamer, than the thoroughbred. No thoroughbred could stand the scoring and split heats of the trotter of to-day. The American trotter is a marvel of endurance."

"When you retire in March next, will you return to the ranks of the breeder?"

"No, I am not rich enough to breed horses again. Horses sell at too high a figure to meet the size of my purse. I shall return to my profession of the law, and if that shall fail me—well, then I guess I can write for the horse papers and make a living in that line."

THE SPREE'S PASSENGERS IN PORT

General O O Howard Corrects a Misstatement—Jubilation at the Pier.

[N Y Tribune, Dec 15]

The North German Lloyd steamship Havel arrived here yesterday with most of the Spree's cabin passengers and all of her steerage passengers on board. The Havel was dispatched from Bremen the day after the Spree arrived at Queenstown, disabled, and took on board the passengers, mail and cargo of the Spree, with the exception of sixteen cabin passengers who sailed on the Etruria, and a few who went by other routes. During the trip on the Havel the passengers recounted their experiences over and over again, and some of them felt nervous till they found themselves safe ashore.

The arrival of the Havel at the Hoboken pier of the North German Lloyd was made the occasion of a great demonstration. Few ships which have arrived here recently have had such a reception. The pier was blocked by a great crowd long before the ship was released from quarantine, and when she was seen far down the river the shouting and cheering began. While the big vessel was still in midstream, long before any of the people on board could recognize [illegible] on the pier, the latter began to [illegible] [illegible]

"Look me in the face! My name is 'Might-have been!'
I am also called 'No-more,' 'Too-late,' 'Farewell!'"

The poet who wrote the above must have been in the last stages of consumption. Perhaps he had only tried, for the first time, that [illegible] Dr. [illegible] [illegible]

77 YEARS OLD

I am seventy-seven years old, and have just been relieved [illegible] by the use of Swift's Specific. My foot and leg to my knee was a running sore for four years, and physicians said it could not be cured. After taking [illegible] bottles of S. S. S. there is not a sore on my skin, and I have a new lease on life. You ought to let all sufferers know of your wonderful remedy.
IRA F. STILLS,
Palmer, Kansas City

S.S.S. IS A WONDERFUL REMEDY—especially for old people. It builds up the general health. Treatise on the blood mailed free.
SWIFT SPECIFIC COMPANY,
Atlanta, Ga.

State of Maine.

Clerk's Office Supreme Judicial Court, Penobscot County,
Bangor Me , Nov 30 1892

Notice is hereby given that Hugo Clark, of Lincoln, has this day filed in this office notice of his intention to apply at the January Term of said Court, 1893, for admission to the Bar
CHAS F SWEET, Clerk
dec1 3tt

CALL AT

"THE LEADING MARKET"

TO-DAY.

C. J. LYNCH.

dec1

WANTED.

100 good woodsmen at once for the Connecticut River Lumber Co. Will advance fares
Call at 81 Exchange street, Bangor, Me
dec15

CALIFORNIA EXCURSIONS

VIA

SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY
APPLY TO E E CURRIER N E AGT ,
192 WASHINGTON ST., BOSTON, MASS
1y18 eod6m

DR. ARTHUR C. GIBSON

has left his practice for professional study in Europe.
Due notice will be given of the date of his return.
dec13 2w

-J. D. GLYNN,-

8 AND 9 STATE STREET.

[illegible]

The Biggest Line Ever Shown.

All Previous Exhibitions Were Side Shows Compared to Now.

Everything in the Line of Presents for Young and Old.

The following list will give you some idea of the Goods I have to show you this season

Albums, Autograph and Photograph
Books of Every Description
Fine Illustrated Books from $1 to $10
Books in one-half Calf Bindings, containing all the choicest literature, price $1 75
Books at 75 cents each—This line of books is simply immense, as it contains writings from all the best authors
Also Books for 50 cents, 35 cents, 25 cents and about 700 volumes bound in cloth, only 15 cents
Books for Children—A splendid line in board covers, price from 10 cents to $1 25 A book is the best present for a child, and the books I have will make them happy and better

All kinds of presents in Leather, Plush and Oak
Toilet Sets,
Dressing Cases,
Jewel Cases,
Handkerchief Boxes,
Bon Bon Boxes,
Shaving Cases,
Smoking Sets,
Glove Boxes
Baskets,
Wallets,
Purses,
Pocket Books,
Diaries,
Back Gammon Boards,

Chess,
Dominoes,
Playing Cards
Harmonicas and Cigar Cases
Christmas Booklets and Cards pretty goods at low prices
Gold Pens, Pencils and Fountain Pens
Writing Desks in Leather and Wood
Bibles Testaments Prayer Books and Books of Devotion
Also Scrap Books
Music Rolls Work Boxes and Pocket Cutlery
One Hundred Kinds of Games for Home Amusement
Dolls and Toys of Every Kind

CALL AND SEE THEM. PRICES AS LOW AS EVER. COME EARLY
TWO BIG STORES AND PLENTY OF ROOM.

--J. D. GLYNN,--

8 AND 9 STATE STREET.

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In 1849 Mr Swanton, of Bath, insured his life in the Connecticut Mutual for $1,000 He has paid in 44 YEARS (besides dividends) $342 21, worth in paid up Insurance (payable at death only) $721

In 1872 Mr Bunker, of Bar Harbor, insured his life in the "Equitable of New York for $2,000 He has paid during the 20 years $905 00. We have just paid him his CASH VALUE of $1,077 40, being about $170 00 more than he has paid He could have taken a paid up policy for $2 308 00 Both policies were written on the Life plan' During the whole time Mr Bunker's family have been protected for $2,000 Mr Swanton's, $1,000 Which policy do you want?

Ira F. [illegible] MANAGER.

J B AYER E C NICHOLS C H HICKINS, E H FOX,
SPECIAL AGENTS. 5 HAMMOND STREET
nov10 Th&M

WHAT IS BETTER
TO GIVE FOR A
CHRISTMAS PRESENT
—THAN A—
Nice Damask Table Set, a Blanket Wrapper, Fancy Towels, Embroidered Handkerchiefs or a Good Warm Shawl? WE HAVE THEM ALL
Remember this [illegible]
WILLIAMS & GETCHELL'S,
68
MAIN STREET.

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Plumbers

AND STEAM FITTERS.

DEALERS IN

Steam Heating Apparatus and Plumbing Materials.

96 Exchange Street, Bangor, Me.
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The Boys Want Them in Time.

With each Boy's Suit or Overcoat sold from this day will present FREE one pair of the elegant Barney & Berry Skates The very large and increasing trade we have in our Boys' Department justifies us in giving the boys an extra advantage who trade with us.

Our Men's Ulsters, in Shawl Collars, are beauties

Bangor Clothing Store,

MEYER M. LEVY, Proprietor,
Under Public Library. 3 Kenduskeag Block
nov12

DON'T YOU KNOW

We have the most complete line of Pure Silk Ribbons in the State of Maine Nice for Christmas Use And we sell them very cheap

C W COFFIN - - - 19 Main Street
dec16 d&w

Dr. Taft's ASTHMALENE contains no opium or other anodyne, but destroys the specific asthma poison in the blood, gives a night's sweet sleep and CURES

ASTHMA

so that you need not neglect your business or sit up all night gasping for breath for fear of suffocation For sale by all druggists. DR. TAFT BROS. MEDICINE CO., ROCHESTER, N Y

On receipt of name and Post-office address we mail trial bottle FREE and prove to you that ASTHMALENE will and does cure asthma

MARKED DOWN SALE.

We are closing out our entire stock of trimmed hats and bonnets at reduced [illegible] which will make it an object for you to inspect before looking elsewhere [illegible] open MONDAY, Dec, 12, a small line of fancy articles and Christmas novelties We also keep constantly on hand a good assortment of old ladies Caps
S. J. COOMBS, - - - - 10 MAIN STREET
dec8 3w

[illegible] SALE [illegible]

OF

READY-MADE CLOTHING.

You all know the Great Slaughter in Prices that we made on our Spring and Summer Clothing, not one dollar's worth left in Light Weight Goods, but we have about $12,000 worth of Heavy Weight Clothing that we are going to sell in the NEXT 60 DAYS at some price. They have got to go.

[illegible]

23	Children's Overcoats,	4 to 12 years, worth from	$3.50 to $5.00, for		$1.50
25	" "	4 to 12 " " "	5.00 to 7.50 "		3.50
19	" "	4 to 13 " " "	8.00 to 10.00 "		5.00
2[illegible]	" Knee Pant Suits,	4 to 10 " " "	4.50 to 6.00 "		3.50
1[illegible]	Boys' Overcoats,	12 to 18 " " "	5.00 to 8.50 "		3.50
2[illegible]	" "	12 to 18 " " "	9.00 to 12.00 "		7.50
35	" Long Pant Suits,	12 to 18 " " "	10.00 to 13.50 "		7.25

Men's Department.

[illegible] $5.00

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Wanted, [illegible]
Josselyn's [illegible] And R[illegible]
Celery fro[illegible]
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R. J. [illegible] Gra[illegible]
HOME MADE [illegible]
HORSE RA[illegible]

[illegible]'S [illegible] BALL!

The Eighth Annual Ball of the Firemen's Relief, of Bangor will be held at

THE NOROMBEGA,

FRIDAY EVENING, DEC. 30th,

the ball to be preceded by a grand orchestral concert, followed by a tug of war, open only to Bangor Firemen, the prize being a gold medal valued at $15.00.

All entries to be made to J. S. O'Leary and all communications should be addressed to him before Friday, Dec. 23.

Admittance, - - - - - - - - - - - - 25 cents
Dance Tickets, for Gentleman and Ladies, - - - - - - - - $1.00

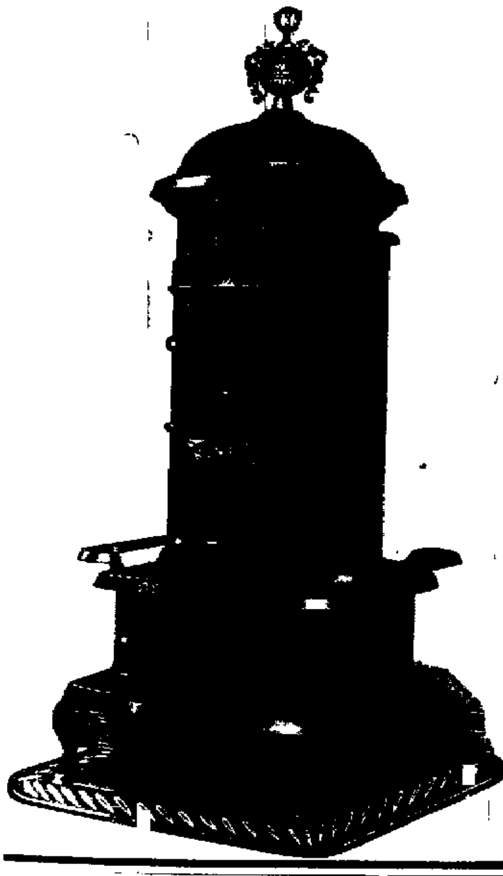
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OCTOBER 22d, 1892.

To-day begins our second half-century of business. OUR HOUSE was established October 21, 1842, by DOW & LYON. We wish to extend our sincere thanks to our friends for the liberal patronage extended us in the past, particularly since we have been obliged to put our customers to the inconvenience of going up stairs. About January 1st we shall open our new store, No. 40 Main street, now occupied by H. W. Durgin. We shall refit it throughout and shall carry a Large and Choice Line of Carpets, Draperies and Room Papers. Our room paper stock will be entirely fresh and new, and we shall endeavor in every way in our power to merit the liberal patronage accorded us in the past.

C. E. LYON & CO.,

1 and 3 Main Street.



THE KINGFORD PARLOR STOVE.

FOR BURNING COAL.

A Marvel of Beauty, has all the necessary features to make it the most successful heating stove ever produced. The grate is on rollers with a draw center and works so easy that a child can shake it. The heat passes over the entire base of the stove. It is made in two sizes, with large fire box, and is the best styled and most desirable stove that has been placed on the market for a long time.

NOYES & NUTTER MANUFACTURING COMPANY,

21, 23, 27 Central Street, BANGOR, MAINE

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Dr. Taft's ASTHMALENE contains no opium or other anodyne, but destroys the specific asthma poison in the blood, gives a night's sweet sleep and CURES

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ASTHMALENE

will and does cure asthma

REAL ESTATE.

FOR RENT. Nice new tenement for small family or man and wife. Inquire at 156 Essex [illegible] C. B. WYER.
dec14 1w

FOR RENT—Pleasant tenement of 8 rooms on Davis street. Possession given about Nov. Apply to F. H. DAVIS, at 133 Main street, [illegible]er Davis nov2 tf

FOR RENT. The upper tenement of the Cutter house, No 45 Grove St, containing eight rooms. All in thorough repair, with modern improvements. Apply to W. CUTTER.
nov9 tf

FOR SALE. House lots on Highland, Ohio, Jackson, Montgomery, Leighton, Norfolk, Fountain and Grant Streets.
M. LINCOLN, 44 Exchange Street.
may4

Wanted, Lost, Found, To Let, Etc

Advertisements under the head of wanted, lost, found, to let, etc., not exceeding four lines, 10 cents each insertion when prepaid. When not prepaid regular advertising rates will be charged.

LOST. A package of memorandum books between Bangor and North Newburgh by way of West Bangor, across the Cooper road to North Carmel, from thence across to Hermon Pond Mill. Finder will be rewarded by leaving same at this office. tf dec17

WANTED—300 Woodsmen at 81 Exchange street. E. KEALEY dec[illegible]

LATEST.

Josselyn's Dairy Cream Flakes,
And Rockwood's Chocolate
Creams,
Celery from Boston,
Sweet Potatoes.

THOMPSON & KELLOGG.

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CASES OF INSANITY

From the Effects of

"LA GRIPPE"

Are Alarmingly Prevalent.

SUICIDES

From the

Same Cause

Are announced in every paper.

Would you be rid of the Awful Effects of La Grippe?

There is BUT ONE SURE REMEDY that NEVER FAILS, viz:

DANA'S SARSAPARILLA

We Guarantee to CURE you or REFUND your money.

COULD WE DO MORE?

ISN'T IT WORTH A TRIAL?

fy30 tf

Cafeine

Is Warranted to Cure any kind of Headache every time.

Cafeine

Is sure to Cure those who have suffered with Headache since childhood.

Cafeine

Whig and Courier.

BY TELEGRAPH.

[FOR LATEST DISPATCHES SEE THIRD PAGE]

FROM BRIDGTON.

Sudden Death of a Prominent Citizen.

BRIDGTON, Dec. 19. William G. Kimball, an aged and prominent citizen, of Bridgton, died suddenly yesterday. He was a native of Portland. He was a carpenter and builder, and master workman of the Portland Custom House and Postoffice, and has been President of the Portland common council and Deering board of selectmen.

WANTED IN MANY PLACES.

A Forger Arrested in Saco.

BIDDEFORD, Dec. 19. J. Gene McLean, a forger, who was arrested in Saco, Saturday night, has been transferred to Biddeford police station, and will be tried in Biddeford Court, this afternoon. Telegrams of inquiry concerning him have been received here from Chiefs of Police of Dover, Portsmouth, Lowell, Melrose, Hallowell, and ohter places.

THE PASSAMAQUODDY INDIANS.

An Important Opinion of Attorney General of Massachusetts.

BOSTON, Dec. 19. The Attorney General has transmitted the following opinion to the Governor and Council:

"Upon reviewing the case of the Passamaquoddy Indians, as presented in their petition, and find nothing to modify the view with which I expressed to you under date of the 23d, 1892. It is clear that the commonwealth of Massachusetts is under no legal obligation to the Passamaquoddy Indians. If it is under any moral obligation to them, it can hardly extend any farther than to see that they are not subjected to any injustice for which Massachusetts is in any degree responsible. Three cannot be said to be unjustly dealt with under the judgment of the Supreme Court of Maine, if that judgment is right, and I see no occasion to doubt that it is, and no reason to suppose that it can be or would be reversed if carried to the Supreme Court of the United Strtes as the petitioners desire. Nor so far as I can see is Massachusetts in the least degree responsible for the position, however unfortunate, in which the Indians now find themselves. At all events, the question whether Massachusetts should interfere is a question for the legislative, rather than the executive branch, which in my opinion is not called upon to act unless it chooses to bring the subject to the attention of the Legislature. The expediency of doing this is, to say the least, open to the question.

VERDICT FOR PLAINTIFF.

In a Breach of Promise Case of Jacobs vs. Sire.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19. In the suit of Miss Esther Jacobs against Henry B. Sire for damages for breach of promise of marriage, the jury in the Superior Court to-day, returned a verdict for the plaintiff of $25,000.

LABOR TROUBLES.

A Misunderstanding Said to be the Cause.

HAVERHILL, Mass., Dec. 19. The International Shoe Workers' Union decided last week to strike. Chick Brothers' shoe factory, this forenoon, owing to complaints received from several workmen that the contract requirements of the firm were unfair, at the time appointed, only 20 operatives out of 500 employed, left the shop and it is not expected by the firm that the strike will extend. This firm claims that the trouble is caused by a misunderstanding.

SOLD AT AUCTION.

Collateral of Irving A. Evans, Deposited as Security in Maverick Bank.

BOSTON, Dec. 19. The collateral of Irving A. Evans & Co., deposited in Maverick National bank, as security for the indebtedness of the firm to the bank, were sold at auction to-day. Receiver Beal of the bank bid them in at $70,719.

FOREIGN NEWS.

The Brussels Conference.

LONDON, Dec. 19. The Daily News says, in commenting upon the adjournment of the Brussels conference says: The American dollar is in jeopardy on account of the natural competition for business on a gold basis. It seems likely enough that the good intentions of the American Treasury will not suffice to save the silver dollar from depreciation.

To Fight a Duel.

PARIS, Dec. 19. M. Amrieux, formerly Prefect of Police, has challenged Deputy Arene to a duel, which will be fought today. The cause is a bitter article against the ex-Prefect, which Arene wrote for the Libre Parole.

A Prominent Society Man Imprisoned for Forgery.

LONDON, Dec. 19. Dr. Francis Charles Scott Sanders, formerly manager of the Lyon Club, was to-day sentenced to six years' penal servitude for forging $19,000. He was prominent in society.

Tried to Obey the Summons.

PARIS, Dec. 19. It transpires that although he was confined to his bed, Ferdinand De Lesseps was summoned to appear before the examining magistrate. He had the cross of the legion of honor placed on his breast and then rose to be dressed. Almost immediately he sank back on his bed and became delirious. Since then he has thought the serving of the summons was only a dream. He is very feeble both mentally and physically.

A Sentiment of Pity for M. De Lesseps.

LONDON, Dec. 19. A Paris correspondent of the Times, referring to the arrest of the Panama Canal directors, says that a sentiment of pity prevails that so violent a blow has been struck at them, especially M. De Lesseps, whose name should have shielded him from such misfortune. Two things now puzzle everybody. First that no [illegible] warrants the arrest and [illegible] confinement of these men, and second, that improper [illegible] is shown by subjecting them to the

ALMOST A PANIC.

A Wild Scene in New York Stock Exchange.

An Attempt to Unload Causes Great Commotion.

WALL STREET, Dec. 19. Shortly after midday the stock exchange was a scene of the wildest excitement. In fact there was a condition of affairs bordering on a panic in an industrial group. It appears a pool in the Chicago Gas dissolved and the members thereof were compelled to take up their holdings. One of the members of the pool started in to sell, but had not disposed of much stock before the room became aware of the liquidation. This was a signal for an attack on the industrial group rarely, if ever, equalled. Traders threw over their stocks almost regardless of price. To add to the fever money was bid up to forty per cent. on call and could not be obtained in round amounts even at that figure. Chicago Gas broke from 90¾ to 83; distilling and cattle feeding from 64 to 57; American sugar from 106½ to 104¾; National lead from 44½ to 39¾; and the preferred from 92 to 89¾; American tobacco from 120 to 116; linseed oil from 41¾ to 3[illegible]; starch from 32½ to 30.

Less than a week ago distillery and cattle feeding sold at 72½ and cordage ruled at 143. The great trouble with these stocks is that where a stringency in money occurs they are the first to be discriminated against by banks and other financial institutions and this is one of the times when they are being thrown over. After 12 30 P. M. the excitement subsided somewhat, and substantial recoveries were noted, but the improvement was not fully maintained.

GETS EIGHT YEARS.

For Forging Checks.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Dec. 19. Wm. Gurnet, this morning, was sentenced to eight years in State prison for forging two checks on local banks.

YALE UNIVERSITY.

A Steady Growth Reported in the University

NEW HAVEN, Ct., Dec. 19. The catalogue of Yale University for 1892-93 appeared, to-day, and exhibits a marked growth in general, in the University. There are 1,969 this year, as compared with 1,784 in '91. This years Freshman class numbers 507, against 468 a year ago. Average estimate for general expenses has been lowered from $615 to $501.

EXTREME COLD WEATHER

Great Suffering Among Settlers in Portions of Kansas.

HORTON, Kans., Dec. 19. The extreme winter weather which has prevailed in western Kansas, this month, has caused much suffering among the settlers.

A DRUNKEN ROW.

Five Killed, and Others May Die

CINCINNATI, O., Dec. 19. In a fight among a gang of drunken negro laborers near Walton, Saturday, two of the number were killed, and two so badly cut up that they will die.

Wholesale Produce Market.

Corrected semi-weekly by the Grocers' Association

WEDNESDAY, Dec. 14

STATE LAW REGARDING WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

A bushel of Liverpool salt shall weigh 80 pounds and a bushel of Turks Island salt shall weigh 7[illegible] pounds.

The standard weight of a bushel of potatoes, in good order and fit for shipping is 60 pounds.

The standard weight of a bushels of beans in good order and fit for shipping is 62 pounds. Of wheat, beets, ruta baga turnips and peas, 60 pounds; of corn, 56 pounds; of onions, 52 pounds; of carrots, English turnips, rye, and Indian meal 50 pounds, of barley and buckwheat, 48 pounds; of oats, 32 pounds, or even measure as by agreement.

Country Produce.

BEANS—	
Improved Yellow Eye, ⅌ bush	2.0[illegible]
Pea, hand picked, ⅌ bush	2.50@2.7[illegible]
BUTTER—	
Choice new roll, ⅌ lb	22@24
Fair to good	19@20
CHEESE—	
Best Factory, ⅌ lb (new)	13@1[illegible]
Best Dairy, ⅌ lb (new)	12@1[illegible]
DRIED APPLES—	
Choice strung, ⅌ lb	5@6
Choice sliced	8@10
EGGS—	
Fresh laid, ⅌ doz	00@27
HAY—	
Best loose, new, ⅌ ton	14.00@16.0[illegible]
PEAS—	
Improved, ⅌ bush	2 2[illegible]
Best Canada, whole	1.15@1 [illegible]
POTATOES—	
New, ⅌ bush	70@75
PORK—	
Round hog, ⅌ lb	5½
POULTRY—	
Chickens, Spring, ⅌ lb	15@20
Fowls	00@00
ONIONS—	
⅌ Barrel	2.75@3.0[illegible]
Bermuda ⅌ crate	1.5[illegible]

Retail Prices Current.

SALT—	
Bangor, ground, in boxes, ⅌ box	20c
English butter salt, in 14lb bags, ⅌ bag	25c
In 56lb bags	75c
Liverpool, ⅌ bush	30c
Turks Island	35c
HERRING—	
English, scaled, in boxes, ⅌ box	25c
RAISINS—	
Loose Muscatels, ⅌ lb	10@12½
London layers	25@40c
Sultana	18@0[illegible]c
Valencia	00@00c
CURRANTS—	
English, ⅌ lb	10@15c
KEROSENE OIL—	
120 test, ⅌ gallon	10@12c
150 test	[illegible]5c
VINEGAR—	
Pure cider, ⅌ gallon	25@30c
Pure W. W.	30c
FLOUR—	
Best Spring Haxall, ⅌ barrel	6.00@5.7[illegible]
Best St. Louis	5.75@5.50
Good family	5.50@5.00
CORN—	
Full weight	54c
CORN MEAL—	
50 lbs. to bushel	60c
COTTON SEED MEAL—	
In sacks of 100 lbs	1.50
OATS	50c
New	45c
SHORTS—	
St. Louis bran, in sacks	1.05
Milwaukee, ⅌ hundred	1.00
MIDDLINGS—	
Fine, ⅌ hundred	1.25
Coarse	1.10

Breadstuffs, Grain, etc.

OATMEAL—	
Best Scotch, ⅌ lb	5c
Best Irish	5c
Best Canada	4c
RYE MEAL—⅌ lb	4c
GRAHAM FLOUR	5c
BUCKWHEAT FLOUR	5c
SUGAR	
Granulated, ⅌ lb	5½c
Extra	5½c
PORK—	
Country clear, ⅌ lb	10c@12c
Western	10c@12c
LARD—	
Bulk, fresh tierces, ⅌ lb	1[illegible]
Home in [illegible]	1[illegible]



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THE BANGOR Y. M. C. A.

Interesting and Eloquent Addresses at Dedicatory Exercises

By Rev. G. W. Field, D. D., and President J. G. Blake.

At the dedicatory exercises of the Bangor Young Men's Christian Association building last evening Rev. G. W. Field, D. D., delivered one of those eloquent and interesting addresses characteristic of that gentleman, an abstract of which we print below. President J. G. Blake delivered an entertaining history of the building move which we give. Both were listened to with pleasure.

Following is the address of President Blake:

History of the Bangor Y. M. C. A. Building Movement, by President Blake.

As we have met, to-night, to formally dedicate this noble building—by your generosity freed from every dollar of indebtness—to the grand use so well expressed by the motto in our corner-stone, "To God for Man," it seems proper that the events which have led to such a desirable result, should be briefly rehearsed.

Our Association was organized January 1st, 1881, and in March, '82, permanent rooms were occupied on Kenduskeag Bridge. The work soon grew, so that more room was obtained and a General Secretary engaged. Very soon these quarters were too small, and as men and women began to understand the work, and see its needs and its opportunities, the building movement began slowly to develop. In December, 1884, the 'Ladies' Auxiliary held a Fair in Union Hall, and the net result, $1,100.00, was paid to the Treasurer of the Association, January 6th, 1885, as the nucleus of a building fund. But the ladies are usually in advance in good works, and no material progress was made except a thank offering of $5.00 in February, 1886, until August 1st, 1887, when we received $1,000.00 from Mr. Nehemiah Kittredge.

In December of the same year, a parlor conference was held at the residence of Mr. J. G. Clark, when several thousand dollars were pledged, and a regular canvass successfully inaugurated. A Building Fund Committee was formed with Mr. J. G. Clark as Chairman. Later in the same month a second Fair was held by the Ladies' Auxiliary, in Norombega Hall, which added $2,000 00 to the fund.

An interesting incident may here be noted.

Sometime earlier in the year, a poor fellow in the City Hospital (David B. Ward), gave Mr. Jordan one dollar which some friend had sent him for his personal comfort, and requested that it be used towards an Association Building. This fact was noted in the papers, and a gentleman in California, formerly doing business in this city, seeing it, was moved thereby to write Mr. Jordan saying, in brief, that if we proposed to build, we might put him down for five hundred dollars. A Building Committee was now formed, with Mr. J. Albert Dole as Chairman, and in December, 1888, a lot was purchased on Columbia street for fifty-one hundred and fifty dollars. But as it was far from a satisfactory location, the present lot becoming available, it was purchased, August 15th, 1889, for ten thousand dollars, and on September 3d, the Columbia street lot was sold for $6,650 00, a net profit to the Association of $1,500.00. The Building fund at this time amounted to about $35,000.00. December 5th, 1889, invitations were extended to our talented local architect, Mr. W. E. Mansur, and to several others of first-class reputation, including one firm who have long made a great specialty of Y. M. C. A. buildings, to submit sealed competitive sketches. These were carefully considered at a full meeting of the Committee, January 14th, 1890, and Mr. W. E. Mansur was selected as our architect. It is simple justice to Mr. Mansur to say that but two members of the Committee, out of thirteen, knew who made any particular sketch and the vote was unanimous, those two members not voting. The plans which were used were commenced January 28th, 1890, and were completed and ready to submit to contractor, March 28th. The same date we advertised for proposals for the building, exclusive of excavating, heating, plumbing and lighting. The bids, six in number, were opened April 15th, and it was found that W. N. Sawyer, of our city, was the lowest bidder, his bid being $33,700, and the others varying from $36,879 to $45,356. The contract was closed with Mr. Sawyer, April, 19th, 1890, and without entering into details we will say here, that the excavating was awarded to Page & Chalmers, the heating and plumbing to Messrs. Leighton, Davenport & Co., the gas fitting to Charles E. Dole, and the grading to F. H. Duffy, the lowest bidders and all of our own city. Considerable cutting was done on the hill during the winter, and the excavating for the building commenced April 19th, but was much delayed by wet weather, and an unexpected bed of blue clay. This caused large additional expense for the foundation, and because of the delay $1,500 more had to be paid the contractor, Mr. Sawyer.

The first stone of the foundation was laid June 10th, 1890, at 10.45 A. M. The first brick, July 8th, 1890. The corner stone was laid with appropriate exercises, September 1st, 1890, Mrs. N. E. Bragg, President of the Ladies' Auxiliary, handling the silver trowel which was presented to us for the occasion. The building was completed and handed over to the Association by the contractor. August 1st, 1891, and was occupied October 1st, 1891.

The total cost of building and furnishings to date has been $55,388.95, to which must be added the cost of the lot, $10,000, making a total of $65,388.95. Of this amount, the Ladies' Auxiliary, as an organization, have contributed $7,512 82, their third and final fair in December, 1890, netting over $3,800. $2,916 has been obtained from profits on sales, interest, etc., and the balance has come from 864 individuals (nine of whom are not known to us by name), four engine and hose companies, four churches and Sabbath Schools, three King's Daughters circles, one Opera House entertainment, one bequest. The contributions have ranged from ten cents to $6,000. Our debt when entering the building was about $18,000. By May, 1892, this was reduced to $13,000 and on October 11, 1892, we received from some gentlemen of our city, a gift of $10,000 conditional, on the balance of $3,000 being raised and all bills paid, on or before November 8th, the date of our annual business meeting. As you all know, this was easily done, and we have a small balance in the treasury, besides an endowment fund of $3,100. It should be said in this connection, that we [illegible] its beauty and completeness, such as the granite pillar at the entrance, stained glass windows, mantel in reception room, etc., etc., besides many things also in the way of furnishings. If we had to pay for these, all desirable and most of them necessary, it would have added materially to the cost of the building.

We take pardonable pride in the fact that this building is almost entirely the product of Bangor money, Bangor material, Bangor brains and Bangor enterprise. The utmost harmony has prevailed in our management from beginning to end. Praise is due to all, who in anyway had a share in the undertaking. Those who gave generously, according to their ability, some of them giving over and over again in a princely way, do not need our commendation. The Lord loveth a cheerful giver, and they are permitted to see and enjoy what their gifts have accomplished. But the same spirit of sacrifice, and of a desire to see so grand a thing grandly done, has in a large measure been with those whom we have employed. And it is to us a matter of pride, that our architect, Mr. W. E. Mansur, one of our Bangor young men, and a member of our Association, has, by his faithful work, careful supervision of every detail, and sincere interest, the satisfaction of pointing to a building already with a very large and growing reputation as a model Y. M. C. A. building. We feel that we have saved both time and money, by having a competent local man for this place.

To the contractors, Mr. W. N. Sawyer, Messrs. Leighton, Davenport & Co., Page & Chalmers, Mr. Charles E. Dole and Mr. F. H Duffy, as well as to the sub-contractors Messrs. Marston & Gorham and Mr. William Riley, much is due for the faithful and careful performance of their work, Mr. W. N. Sawyer, especially, being loyal to every agreement, under vexations, delay and many difficulties.

We have also been greatly indebted to the press of our city. They have treated us always with the utmost consideration, giving us much notice and booming our canvass. For their great courtesy and large helpfulness, we shall always be sincerely grateful.

We have good working committees. Of our Building Fund Committee, with Mr. J. G. Clark as chairman, and our building committee, with Mr. J. Albert Dole as chairman, I have no words in which to express our obligations for what they have done, and done so well, making a sacrifice of time and strength, of which but few are aware. A large amount of extra labor has come upon our board of directors, our local finance committee, Mr. Charles S. Pearl, chairman, and especially upon our Treasurer, Mr. George W. E. Barrows, and our General Secretary, Mr. Robert A. Jordan. But it has all been a labor of love.

The aid of our Ladies Auxiliary—how can we speak fittingly of that—they were the first to see our needs, and to start the fund, and after we had been two years in getting under way, they gave us another high lift, and when things were beginning to go hard, still another, larger than both the others. They have given us an organization, and as individuals, about one-fourth of the whole sum raised, and by their influence, I don't dare to say how much. Our largest contributor with but two exceptions, is a member of the Auxillary. They have never been discouraged. They have been the largest auxillary in the world. They will always be the best.

It is pleasant now to look back over the past, and recall our efforts, so comely in fruition, but with a complete building, with no stain of debt, dedicated to work "To God for Man." We must now look forward to greater efforts. "To whom much is given, of them shall much be required."

J. G. BLAKE, President.

Following is an abstract of the address of Rev. Dr. Field:

Address of Rev. G. W. Field, D.D.

The remarks of the speaker were founded on the passage of Scripture contained in Mark, 14th chapter, from 3d to 10th verses, the passage in which Mary is represented as breaking the costly vase of ointment over the feet of Jesus, and the disciples as complaining of the waste on the ground that the money might have been given to the poor, and in which Jesus is represented as justifying the disciples. The speaker said that the passage, stands forever as a reproof to those who decry and denounce all religious expenditures which do not have a directly utilitarian purpose, and as a justification forever to those who would find a place in their religion at whatever cost for the expression of the glowing emotions and the refined tastes to which religion, above all other things, gives birth.

The speaker, after having congratulated the Association upon their having reared a building which would serve not only all the absolutely needful purposes of such a structure, but which also (at no small cost) had been made beautiful to the eye and grateful to the taste, went on to announce as his topic "the claims of the beautiful in matters of religion:" reasons why the structures which we rear for the honor of God in the service of man, as well as whatever has to do with the worship of God, should be made as beautiful and as tasteful as our means will admit.

We quote a part of the speaker's words: "The first reason mentioned is, because God himself is the infinite beauty, and all true worship should be based upon a just recognition of the nature of the Being who is worshipped, and should be expressive of that nature as far as possible. We say "God is Love," "God is Power," "God is Truth." We do not so often say, "God is Beauty." Why not? We see his beauty as plainly as his power, or any other attribute. Amazing is the exuberance, the prodigality, the wastefulness of the beauty which God has scattered broadcast over this world, doing it not merely to make beautiful the abodes of his children, and to gladden their hearts, but also because he himself delights in beauty; his nature so teems with it that whatever his finger touches, glows into beauty, whether to be seen by mortal vision or not. Amazing to think what uncounted treasures of unexplored magnificence are hid away to be seen and enjoyed only by the All-Seeing Eye, hid in forest depths in the shape of delicate mosses and brilliant and tuneful birds, hid in ocean depths in fishes and shells and reefs, of forms and tints richer than eye ever beheld; hid away in the depths of the earth in form of diamonds and precious stones, more costly and brilliant than ever flashed on the brow of king or queen. Verily, our God is a God of beauty, and it is fitting that the worship of such a Being should be with the accompaniment of whatever is beautiful, in music, in architecture, in painting, in sculpture, in whatever will kindle the imagination and lift the spirit into the region of the etherial and the divine. When in foreign countries I have visited churches with their mighty pillars, rising towards the heavens, full of strength and full of aspiration, with their vast spaces, stretching off into unfathomable dimness, and waking thoughts of the Infinite, with [illegible] mean even more than this, that it is by the constitution of things, so linked in with the moral, that it partly partakes of its nature and deserves to be honored for its own sake.

"All beauty is primarily of the soul, and certain outward forms and colors please us, simply because we are so constituted that they are suggestive to us of the inner beauty of soul qualities, truth, gentleness, love, benevolence. We always describe the natural beauty in the use of terms which apply properly to the moral only. You speak of the purity of the flower, of its modesty, of its tenderness, of its innocence. You can scarcely describe the effect of it except in terms expressive of moral qualities. The purity or the transparency of the air or the water is universally felt to be expressive of moral purity: their darkness or their turbulence as expressive of moral defilement or mental gloom. All fine and delicate forms are typical of delicacy and gentleness of character, and so on, indefinitely. As one of our poets has said with something of the solemnity of an oath:

> Soul, Soul alone, bear witness earth and heaven
> The proper fountain in itself contains
> Of beauteous and sublime.

"Yes, the material beauty, the beauty which addresses itself to the senses, is the shadow and reflection of the moral beauty projected upon the material, without which it cannot be, and as such deserves to be honored.

"And the beautiful is religious also, speaks to us of the unseen and the infinite, of a soul which lives in all things and beneath all things. I do not see how one can have looked upon the interior of one of the grand cathedrals, without feeling that there was something in its beauty and its grandeur uplifting to his whole spiritual nature.

"I do not see how one can have looked upon a grand landscape, or have listened to some magnificent strain of music, without feeling at times as though his spirit was made to transcend the limits of the material, has an immediate recognition of unseen things, an intuition of immortality, worth more than all deductions of logic, a consciousness of an Infinite spirit within and around him

> "Of a Presence that disturbs him with the joy of
> elevated thoughts,
> A sense sublime of something far more deeply
> interfused,
> Whose dwelling is the light of setting sun
> And the blue sky, and in the soul of man."

"Yes, Nature and art are in themselves religious, and draw toward God, and can be and ought to be so used, as to make devotion more devout and our religion more profoundly religious.

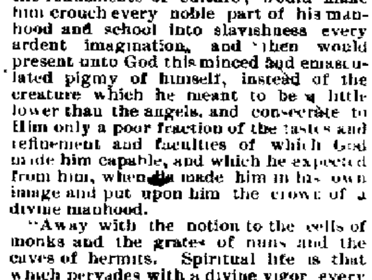
"Let me mention another reason why, in the service and worship of God (as everywhere else), we should have regard to the tasteful and beautiful. As God is the Infinite beauty, he has made man in his own image, so that he also is able to create and enjoy the beautiful, and he is to find his dignity and happiness in becoming ever more and more like his Creator in this, as in every other respect. It is the religious duty of every man to be true to every part of the nature God has given him. I do not believe in that idea of religion which makes it consist too largely in getting a hope for himself; that makes out of it something too nearly selfish. I do not believe in that idea of religion which makes it consist in the exercise of any one sentiment, however admirable, or noble or inspiring, like gratitude; that makes out of it something too narrow. I believe that the purpose of religion is to build up the whole man in the love and practice of whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is lovely, whatever is of good repute, if there be any virtue and any praise, to make him eager for its attainment; to lead him to strive to be such that men, beholding him, shall have some faint idea what God had in mind when he placed the unfallen Adam in the garden, lord of himself and of all the lower creation.

"I abominate, you abominate the spirit of ascetic and ignorant devotion which, in order to make man spiritual, would deprive him of the recreations of taste and the refinements of culture; would make him crouch every noble part of his manhood and school into slavishness every ardent imagination, and then would present unto God this minced and emasculated pigmy of himself, instead of the creature which he meant to be a little lower than the angels, and consecrate to Him only a poor fraction of the tastes and refinement and faculties of which God made him capable, and which he expected from him, when he made him in his own image and put upon him the crown of a divine manhood.

"Away with the notion to the cells of monks and the grates of nuns and the caves of hermits. Spiritual life is that which pervades with a divine vigor every part of the nature, not only stirring up the intellect and enlightening the conscience, but kindling the imagination, refining the taste, making the ear more sensitive to the melodies of sound, and giving the eye new relish for elegance and taste, for stately mansions and splendid art, and every other decoration of life, partly because it sees in these things delightful revelations of God's goodness and of God's nature, and means whereby we can rise into some nearer likeness to Him.

"The officers of this Association have had reference in this building which to-night we consecrate "to God, for man," have had reference to this broad conception of religion and to the manifold needs of this complex nature with which God has endowed us."

After some remarks in this direction the speaker closed with expressions of gratitude that the friends of the Association had accomplished the purpose for which they had been laboring so many years, and were able to consecrate to God an edifice so commodious and so tasteful, without a cent of debt resting upon it.



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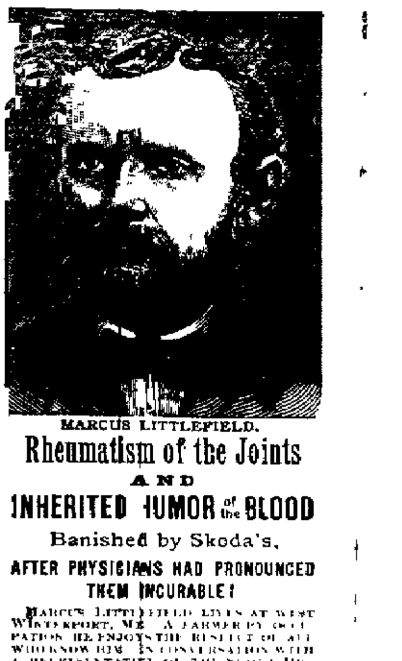
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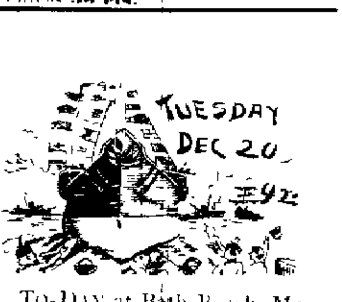
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The New York *Herald* seems to have taken a contract to provide a position for Editor Dana. For some weeks it has been booming him for the United States Senatorship, but Mr Dana declines to be a candidate whereupon the *Herald* starts on a new tack and declares the "next Minister to England should be Mr Charles A Dana."

The New York *Press* has made a canvass of the Democratic members of the next House concerning matters of legislation. The Democratic Representatives in the next House will number 216 and replies were received from 168. Of these all but four favor the repeal of the McKinley law and I advocate an extra session of Congress for the purpose. On the currency question 101 favor the free coinage of silver and only 47 expressed themselves as opposed to it. This is not a full canvass but the returns indicate that the radical element is in the majority and will make trouble if the conservative faction try to put a muzzle on the House.

This is the record for the U. S. steamer Bear which is on her way to San Francisco from Behring sea. The Bear proceeded as far north and east in the Arctic ocean as Point Barrow, which she provisioned, transported over 300 reindeer from Siberia to Alaska, near Point Clarence saved one or two whalers from wrecks and assisted a number of others, towed an abandoned schooner over 600 miles to a secure anchorage near St Michael's, rescued from starvation the men left by the sealing schooner Mattie Dyer on St Matthew's Island, carried the Rev Selden Jackson 1000 miles in performance of his duties as Government Commissioner of Schools, also as collector of exhibits from Alaska for the World's Fair as well as for the Museum at Sitka.

The handsome building of the Young Men's Christian Association was formally dedicated last evening. Although the building has been in use for some time it was the desire of the officers of the Association to have it entirely free from debt when the dedication exercises were held. The lot, building and furnishings cost [illegible] all of which has been raised by contribution so that the property stands to-day clear of debt has a small balance in the treasury and an endowment fund of [illegible]. It is a magnificent monument to the generosity of our citizens, and a building in every way adapted to and worthy of the noble work to which it is dedicated. The exercises last evening were of a very interesting character and are fully reported in another column of this issue.

The annual statement of W. T. Harris, United States Commissioner of Education for the year 1890-1 to the Secretary of the Interior shows that the number of pupils enrolled in the common schools of the country was 13,203,170 and the average daily attendance 8,404,228. There were [illegible] teachers 122,[illegible] being males and [illegible] being females and the total expenditure for the support of the public schools was [illegible]. The progress of education among the colored people of those living in the former slave States of the Union is presented in the following statistics. Number of pupils, 1,309,[illegible]; teachers male 13,567 female, [illegible]. The Bureau has taken the initiative in instituting investigations on the subject of education as a means of preventing crime and pauperism, sending a well trained specialist to study the various phases of the question among the congested centres of population in the Old World and in this country. At the World's Columbian Exposition education will be well represented not only in the way of government and State exhibits but by [illegible] congresses for the discussion of [illegible] questions. Education in Alaska will also be under the direction of the Bureau of Education and is said to be advancing.

Cleveland's Money Policy

The Brooklyn [illegible] has the following editorial based upon the utterance of the man supposed to stand closest to Mr Cleveland in matters of finance, at the meeting of the Free Trade League in Boston last Friday night. It was in vain that the attention of sound money men was called before the Presidential election to the fact that Mr Cleveland was not sound. The proof of his unsoundness was in his letter of acceptance, in the majority of the bank presidents in New York run with the blunder headed flock of sheep over the precipice that was on the way to the abyss of the Democratic party.

Mr Cleveland tickled the Populists by demanding an abundant sufficiency of paper money, the regular old greenback and cornstalk lingo—and then subsequently proposed to give attention to the proper distribution of the currency, as though that was a part of government duty. This simply placed him in the bottomless pit of unsound finance. He had something more to say, and it was to dwell upon the regulation of "state" paper issues, that they might be safe.

This ought to have been fair warning for those who know the business meaning of language applied to money matters, but the forty New York bankers and many thousands like them, would not believe Cleveland unsound because he had so sharply opposed the free coinage of silver and constantly disported himself as what the Populists term a "goldbug." In the course of a few editorials of the New York *Evening Post* and a speech that M. D. Harter made in Wall street, and the slight leakage of gossip through wormholes in the staves within which some solemn secrets were suppose to be tightly hooped up, it was made known that Mr. Cleveland was a thorough going convert to the State bank system that he had written a letter of acceptance stating that the hope of the country financially was in the State bank issues (Whitney, in his capacity of fool-killer, suppressed it); that he made the old ways of wild-cat banking the great issue, anticipating the disappearance of the silver issue in a flood of State paper.

All this was true, and more than true, but the New York financiers thought it there has not only been the legal-tender quality, but there has also been a promise to pay.

"Another question very much controverted during the canvass is that of bank notes. Before we have got to a perfectly sound scientific money system in this country this American people has got most seriously and intelligently to consider that subject.

"There is no reason in the nature of things why Government should forbid you from issuing your obligation payable on demand for a dollar, or why it should forbid me from passing it to any neighbor and him from passing it on, and that is a bank note.

"There is no more reason why Government should prevent your doing this than that it should prevent you borrowing a dollar of me, lest you fail to return it."

Observe first how learned this is. Survey the slope along which the great financier slides!

"Governments have come to interfere between you and me and take from both of us a portion of our natural rights.

"In the face of the vast usefulness of a good bank-note circulation, which will pass from hand to hand readily, but not a legal tender, I say it is utter imbecility for this American people to lie down and say they cannot do that and they won't do it. Something must be done before long."

What is this something that is to be done? Now you can see it, can you not? It is the issue of currency, "home currency" by the State banks that is prepared for Mr Fairchild is credited in the Southern journals with a passion for relegating the issue of currency to the sovereign States. THAT IS THE POLICY OF CLEVELAND'S ADMINISTRATION. It is a soft money scheme, so soft that beside it the silver delusion is as the Rock of Ages. The South demands it, and Cleveland concedes it, and Mr. Fairchild constructs the framework at Boston in which, in due time, the fireworks are to be displayed. He did not promulgate the programme as far as the pitching off place last night. The tale is to be continued at the next Reform Banquet. The hero of the story is left in the Boston chapter hanging on a nail caught in his trousers. A soft spot has, however been provided for him to strike as he falls.

Mr Fairchild, whether he is going into the Cabinet or not—only the more if he is not going in—speaks for Mr. Cleveland. Of course he is a logical historian and knows what is coming. Already the Solid South is sweet upon him as a financier. Fairchild is supposed to be a warrior, about to avenge in Wall street the wrongs of the people. Currency is to be decentralized. Money is to be decentralized. New York has blindly, stupidly voted for this raid upon herself, this precipitation down the broad road to destructiveness.

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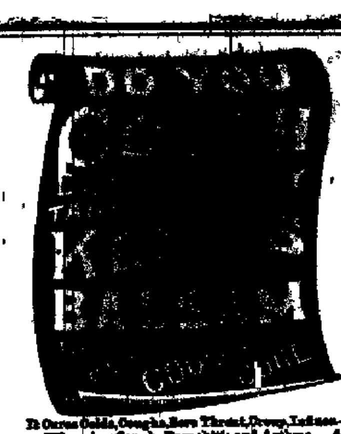
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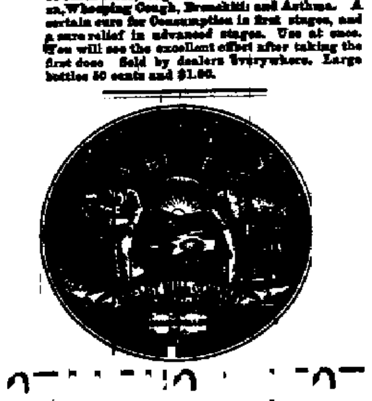
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ON BROADWAY,

FOR SALE!

The very desirable three story, swell front, brick residence No. 31 Broadway, and valuable lot of land therewith, comprising the homestead of the late ELIAS MERRILL, is offered for sale.

The house is in excellent condition and finely situated in the most desirable residence portion of the city, where such property very seldom changes hands.

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MARINE JOURNAL.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

NEW YORK Cld 17th ship Susquehanna, Sew all San Francisco

DUTCH ISLAND HARBOR Ar 17th, sch John Douglass, for New York

CHARLESTON Cld 16th sch Wm Frederick Cottrell Dalton

PHILADELPHIA Ar 18th bark James W Fen dleton, Lancaster Pisagua. Cld, Talofa, Fletch er Portland

SAVANNAH Cld 16th, sch Nellie Woodbury Thener Port Morant

V.NEYARD HAVEN Sld 18th, sch A B Perry, Look, Calais For New York

BOSTON Ar 18th sch Nil Desperandum, Hutchins, Orland. Cld sch Emma McAdam, Elizabethport for Mt Desert, Viola May, Hobo ken for Eastport

BOSTON Ar 18 sch July Fourth, Smith, Bangor

DIED.

In Brewer, Dec 18, John Stanley infant son of Mr and Mrs R F Doughty, aged 5 months. Funeral this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock.

WATCHES

We have now the largest line of Ladies' and Gents' Gold Watches we ever displayed. Our prices are the Lowest.

14 K. Gold Filled Ladies' Watches, $12.50

Solid Gold Filled, $180

Solid 14 K. Gold, $20 and up

We have some extra fine hand made cases.

Gents' Gold Watches, $30 to $100

A large line of Solid Gold Spectacles.

—AT—

ADOLF PFAFF'S

BANGOR, MAINE.

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DR. ARTHUR C. GIBSON

has left his practice for professional study in Europe.

Due notice will be given of the date of his return.

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A NEW LOT

—OF—

Turkeys and Chickens

—AT—

FICKETT'S MARKET.

Meerschaum and French Briar Pipes,

Cigar Cases and Holders,

Cigars and Tobacco,

Candy, Nuts, Raisins,

Figs, Citron, Currants,

Tea, Coffee, etc., etc.

Fine Goods at Low Prices

—AT—

Tea White's.

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PHOTOGRAPH ALBUMS!

A New and Fine Line

FOR SALE AT

CHAS. HIGHT'S BOOK STORE.

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State of Maine.

Clerk's Office Supreme Judicial Court, Penobscot County,

Bangor Me, Nov 30, 1892

Notice is hereby given that Hugo Clark, of Lincoln, has this day filed in this office notice of his intention to apply at the January Term of said Court, 1893, for admission to the Bar.

CHAS F. SWEET, Clerk

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56 CENT DAY

—AT—

Daggett's,

To-day.

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EPPS'S COCOA

BREAKFAST.

"By a thorough knowledge of the natural laws which govern the operations of digestion and nutrition, and by a careful application of the fine properties of well selected Cocoa, Mr Epps has provided our breakfast tables with a delicately flavored beverage which may save us many heavy doctors' bills. It is by the judicious use of such articles of diet that a constitution may be gradually built up until strong enough to resist every tendency to disease. Hundreds of subtle maladies are floating around us ready to attack wherever there is a weak point. We may escape many a fatal shaft by keeping ourselves well fortified with pure blood and a properly nourished frame."—Civil Service Gazette.

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Wind and perspiration have no effect. Without a rival in the world. We also use ELECTRINE when desired.

21 Main Street, Bangor, Me.

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Newly fitted up and arranged with thirty Steam Heated Sleeping Rooms, Electric Lights, Electric Bells.

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F. K. JORDAN, A. B. MOODY, Clerks.

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that you make some friend or relative a holiday present of a photograph. We are certain that among our different sizes and styles you will find something attractive. Please remember we are making a better class of work than ever before.

F. C. WESTON,

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No. 8 Smith Block, Bangor.

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Imported Paper Mache Animal Candy Boxes,

Christmas Tree Decorations,

Cake Ornaments and Trimmings,

And the Best, Largest and Purest Stock of Confectionery in the City.

All our own manufacture

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CANES.

STERLING SILVER,

Opera

Glasses

—AT—

OWEN'S JEWELRY STORE,

43 MAIN STREET.

FRED H. OWEN.

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CLOSING OUT SALE

—OF—

WATCHES

IN SOLID GOLD AND GOLD FILLED CASES.

Must be sold within the next ten days.

Call and get my prices before you purchase.

The price and quality is what sells an article.

And I shall sell my large stock of watches between now and Christmas.

W. H. EDMUNDS,

13 HAMMOND STREET.

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MOVING,

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Lots of them moving every day. Come and get your share. Low Prices make them move lively.

H. W. DURGIN,

40 MAIN STREET.

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HOLIDAY GOODS.

If you want a Lady's or Gent's fine Pocket Book, Card Case, or Leather Goods in General, Elegant Oak Cases for Gloves, Handkerchiefs, Jewels, Neckties, Cigars, etc, Photograph Albums, Gold Pens and Pearl Holders, Beautiful Books, you will find them at

Chas. Hight's Store.

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E. J. DAVIS & CO.

A MOST STUPENDOUS SALE OF

Men's Fine Slippers.

400 PAIRS

of Manufacturers' Samples in every conceivable style and kind, in sizes 6, 6 1-2, 7 and 8. Many of these samples have never left the factory, and the balance have been used by drummers for the fall trade.

EVERY LADY

should avail herself of this opportunity to secure a pair of these samples, which can be bought for less than the cost of manufacture.

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ENTERTAINMENTS.

OPERA HOUSE,

FRANK A. OWEN, Manager.

Tuesday Evening, Dec. 20,

At 8 O'clock.

ACROSS THE CONTINENT,

An Illustrated Lecture, with numerous Stereopticon Views, by

CHARLES L. FLINT,

OF BOSTON

Admission, 35 and 50 cents

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FOR YOUR [illegible]

The Finest and Most Complete Stock to select from in the city.

Table and Cooking Raisins, Washed Currants, Citron, Figs, Dates, Epicurean Spices, Herbs, Poultry Dressing, Leaf Sage, Boiled Cider, Rae's and Tre Chaffard's Olive Oil, Salad Dressing, Olives, Chow Chow, Gherkins, Pickled Olives, Club House, Edam, Roquefort, Neufchatel, Pineapple and Sage Cheese, Shelled and Salted Almonds, [illegible] and [illegible] American Soups, Condiments.

These and all other accessories and delicacies may be found at our store. [illegible]

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where we have marked a lot of

BARGAINS IN FUR-

FOR CHRISTMAS

and if you do not see what you want, then do not think we have not got it, for our store is full of Bargains in every kind of Fur goods.

LADIES' CLOTH GARMENTS,

GENTLEMEN'S FUR COATS,

CLOTH COAT FUR TRIMMED,

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We have many articles suitable for the Holidays, and some special bargains in

Carpets.

In our Carpet Department, we have set aside about twenty pieces of Brussels with borders, which we are unable to duplicate, and have placed a price upon them lower than we have ever seen quoted in any market. They are not back numbers or undesirable goods, but we must close them prior to stock taking, $1 15 per yard will make and lay them upon your floor.

We also offer our entire stock of Tapestries during this month at 75 cents per yard, as we make a specialty of fine goods and further remarks on this price are unnecessary.

Rugs. Rugs.

Turkish,

Japanese,

Wilton,

Brussels,

Smyrna,

Byzantine.

The latter is comparatively a new article in this market, and is a Wool Rug finely woven; each pattern is confined to two colors. The Fabric has a beautiful plush effect and is very durable and artistic.

Carpet Sweepers.

We have the best Sweeper in the market, and have anticipated our usual large sales by extra invoices during the past month.

Screens.

We are headquarters for Screens of all kind in this market, and are displaying the largest variety in the city.

An Oak or Cherry Frame, filled with fine Pongee or Silkaline will cost you but $1.75, or a 5½ foot 4 fold Japanese can be bought for $4.50.

We pack them in strong cases for out of town trade without extra cost.

Down Pillows

Down Pillows have become a necessity in every household, and we have yet to hear of any one who possesses too many of the useful furnishings for the modern couch. The Saddle Bag Cushions have solved the tidy problem and we can supply them in every shape covered with Silks, Satteen and many novel coverings original with ourselves. We cover them to order in our own work rooms at short notice.

Our line of Puffs comprises all the popular styles, and we shall close out our holiday stock at very low prices.

Curtains and Draperies.

We could make a long story of this subject, but will cut it short. Will say that we will close out all odd and single Portieres at much less than regular [illegible]. Some at about half the [illegible]. We will also sell any Irish Point or [illegible] in our stock [illegible] less than any form [illegible].

Do not [illegible] go to a larger city [illegible] in window drap[eries] [illegible] our own work [illegible] moderate drape[ry] [illegible] Boston prices.

Room Papers, Mouldings.

We are receiving [illegible] department and [illegible] season's designs [illegible]

We shall be pleased [illegible] for decorating single rooms or [illegible] houses, including [illegible] and hanging paper and mouldings.

As we are much the largest [illegible] paper hangings in Eastern Maine [illegible] be able during the coming season [illegible] prices beyond competition.

Country traders who buy for [illegible] can save money by obtaining their supplies from us.

Window Shades.

Estimates furnished for special work. Lowest prices consistent with good workmanship.

We also carry a large stock of [illegible] made shades, over 1,000 now in stock from which to make selections. [illegible] 25c to 50c each.

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14 and 16 Central St., Bangor, Me.

NOW THAT THE PEOPLE ARE THINKING

What they shall buy for the Holidays, it is well for them to take a little advice, and ours is To put the money into articles that have a lasting value at the same time be ornamental and useful.

What can be better to invest money in than HANDSOME FURNITURE. We propose to enumerate in this sheet a few of the multitude of articles we keep, to give an idea of what can be found at our mammoth store. Perhaps you will be surprised to read our claim to a "mammoth" store but if you will do us the honor to call we will be pleased to show you through ten large rooms, all piled high with Furniture, our floor space is nearly an acre in extent. We call particular attention to our new

CHEVAL SETS

FOR $25.

These are full sets of ten pieces and made in Antique Oak Ash or Cherry and we say this without fear of contradiction that our price is the lowest in the United States.

WE ALSO OFFER A

Handsome Antique Set

10 Pieces for $18.

It is made of both Oak and Ash. You can't beat this price if you try State over and price every set.

Elegant Oak, Walnut and Mahogany Sets,

$30 to $200.

A new style of oak CHAMBER SETS with round French Plate bevelled mirrors, is very handsome, nothing would please your wife better for a Christmas present, for the guest chamber, than one of these Sets. Come and see them.

OUR STOCK OF MIRRORS is the largest in the City, our prices will be found the Lowest.

We have an endless Variety of

Ornamental Chairs

Over 100 Styles.

Embossed Leather Chairs from $3 50 to $10 00 each. Plush Easy Chairs at all prices. Turkish Spring Rocking Chairs from $25 to $[illegible]. Reed and Rattan Chairs, from the celebrated manufactories of the Wakefield Rattan Co. and Heywood Bros. & Co., all styles from $2 50 to $15 each. Don't fail to see our line of Velvet Carpet (Patent Spring) Rockers, from $2 50 to $5.50 each.

Folding and Mantel Beds

are the delight of all who see them and range in price from $12 to $100.

We Take the Lead in

PARLOR FURNITURE

And manufacture and carry in stock over fifty styles of sets, upholstered in every style and color. Prices range from $35 to $200.

We Make a Turkish Couch

That is the handsomest piece of Furniture for sale in the City. They are upholstered in any style of material desired. Please call and see them. Over 150 sold last year.

Parlor Desks in Beautiful Designs

And all kinds of woods. Very useful and ornamental. A most desirable present. We have 30 elegant styles of side boards in Solid Oak from $15.00 to $80.00. BOOK CASES are in our stock, at all prices. POLISHED WOOD TOP TABLES of most elaborate patterns, all prices. HANDSOME HAT TREES. We have fifty styles, from $3 to $75 each. In DINING ROOM FURNITURE we defy competition. Our tables are [illegible] and elegant.

In conclusion, would say, that anything wanted in Furniture, that is ornamental or useful, can be found at our Store. We are bound to please and determined to [illegible] at [illegible] prices [illegible] to be the most liberal to be found in [illegible]

FOR OTHER NEWS BY TELEGRAPH SEE FIRST PAGE

BY TELEGRAPH.

MAINE NEWS.

FORGED PAPER.

McLean Arraigned in Biddeford.

BIDDEFORD, Dec 19. J. Gene McLean, of [illegible] who was arraigned in the Biddeford court on a charge of uttering forged papers this afternoon, pleaded not guilty and waived examination. Judge [illegible] bound him over in $1,000 bonds to the January term of the Supreme Court. The prisoner could not get the bail and will go to jail to await trial

FELL FROM HIS SLEIGH

Man Instantly Killed in Augusta.

AUGUSTA, Dec 19. A. W. Palmer, of Manchester, a market gardener, while riding on Western avenue in this city this evening tipped from the sleigh and his head struck on a rock killing him instantly. He was about 65 years of age and leaves a family.

INTER-STATE COMMERCE.

The Sixth Annual Report of the Commission Submitted.

WASHINGTON, Dec 19 Following is an extract of the annual report of the Commission which will be transmitted to Congress to-morrow

In view of the results realized in administering the Act to regulate commerce and the necessity for amendments which experience has disclosed, the Commission gives a brief review of the reasons which led the passage of that statute During twenty years prior to such enactment, the extraordinary construct on of railways under enormous grants of public lands private donations, aid of county, state and municipal bonds, freely and [illegible] inconsiderately given through a [illegible] desire for these public highways [illegible] capital secured under existing conditions, lavish expenditures and reckless management, establishment of branch or feeding lines to the main stem in order to monopolize business in tributary territory, rivalry of lines to take possession of districts in the hope of future business, causing duplication of [illegible] in sparse regions not able to support a single line all resulted in capitalization far exceeding cost and a railway system of vastly greater capacity than the volume of traffic seeking transportation.

The fiercest competition was thus rendered inevitable, and the necessity of earnings to meet fixed charges and operating expenses, tempted resort to every device by which to obtain business on any terms In less degree the same conditions existed in the more developed sections of the country Public regulation was not then looked upon with favor Transportation facilities were treated as private property subject to bargain and sale like merchandise and railroad managers were [illegible] any form of government supervision Special rates and rebates were recognized features of railroad operation, favoritism between shippers was not thought dishonest, though the favored shipper secured a monopoly through the [illegible] withdrawal of competitors, and to treat prevailing practices as criminal misdemeanors was regarded with ridicule This conduct aided the formation and fortified the power of those vast combinations of capital which created public [illegible]

The Work of Regulation

The different branches of the Commission's work, the manner and some of the [illegible] of its performance are described The work of administration, inquiry and investigation and of applying the principle of the law to the business of carriers in one form or another, constantly going on During the year over 65,000 letters were sent out and more than 60,000 were received, nearly 50,000 annual and [illegible] reports and pamphlet decisions were distributed, and more than 125,000 tariffs were filed, making the total number of tariff schedules now on file with the Commission about 850,000. Some idea of the magnitude of the mere detail work of the Commission is given by these figures.

Hearings and Investigations

Since December 1, 1891, hearings have been held and investigations made not only at the Commission's rooms in Washington D C, but also in Cincinnati, Atlanta, Chattanooga, Nashville, Minneapolis Boston, New York, Chicago, Omaha, Boise City, Portland, Ore., San Francisco, Los Angeles, Wichita and Troy, Ala

The report states that the character of proceedings before the Commission indicates that the main causes of complaint arise from discriminations and preferences in rates and facilities, and not from rates unreasonable in themselves

An important opinion lately rendered reviews the operation of the long and short clause, construes the provision on the line of previous decisions by the Courts and the Commission, holds that neither competition of carriers subject to the Act nor market competition justifies higher short haul charges

The giving of lower long haul rates to trade centers and so-called basing points, is criticised and condemned.

CHARGES ILLEGALITY.

Suit Against the Vermont Marble Company.

NEW YORK, Dec 19. Judge Patterson in the supreme court chambers this morning heard the argument upon the demurrer to the complaint in the action begun by Edward Smetbury as owner of 100 shares of the stock of the Vermont Marble Company, a New York corporation organized in 1880, against that company, United States Senator Redfield Proctor and wife, his son Fletcher D, ex-Governor Ormsby, of Vermont, Congressman W W Grout, and others.

The complaint charges Senator Proctor with being engaged in a fraudulent and illegal scheme to depreciate the apparent value of property and misappropriate the assets of the Vermont Marble Co., of which he was president from 1880 to 1889, when he resigned in favor of his son, Since 1884 only $180,000 in dividends has been paid to the stockholders, although the alleged earnings are over $1,000,000.

HEAVY EMBEZZLEMENT.

Son of St. Louis' City Treasurer Abstracts over $63,000.

ST LOUIS, Dec. 19. Investigation of the city treasurer's accounts brought about by the suicide of his son and assistant, Edward Foerstel, has disclosed an embezzlement of $63,020. It is settled that the treasurer was personally innocent of the wrong doing. His son sank the whole sum in real estate deals.

The Mayor to-night suspended Treasurer Foerstel and appointed Charles Parsons treasurer, Young Foerstel recently informed his [illegible]

Mr. Blaine's Condition Slightly Improved.

Latest Reports from His Bedside Rather More Encouraging.

Physicians Give Out News People Are Very Glad to Hear.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19. Dr. Alfred S. Loomis, the leading specialist in New York City and probably in America on Bright's disease, last night left for Washington to attend ex-Secretary Blaine.

Decided Improvement.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19. It is stated that Mr. Blaine sat up for a short time this morning and talked with the members of his family in a very cheerful frame of mind. He took some nourishment and was decidedly better than he has been for a few days past. The sinking spell of yesterday had lost its effect and the reaction had apparently left the invalid stronger than he was before.

Dr. Loomis, of New York, the leading specialist of the country on Bright's disease, arrived this morning and went at once to the Blaine mansion, where he remained with Drs. Johnston and Hyatt for more than an hour.

Dr. Loomis coincided with his colleagues in this city, in their view of the case and agreed with them in every particular in regard to the treatment that had been followed. The doctors gave out the following statement:

Although Mr. Blaine's condition during the last week has given serious anxiety, yet at the present moment he is decidedly better and he is in no immediate danger. It is impossible to predict what changes may occur, but his condition this morning gives a more hopeful feeling as to the progress of his disease.

[Signed,]

ALFRED L LOOMIS, M. D.
FRANCK M. HYATT, M. D.
W. W. JOHNSON, M. D.

This bulletin was issued at 11 o'clock. The doctors will not say, however, that Mr. Blaine is anything like being out of danger, still one of them said that he had very strong hopes that Mr. Blaine might improve so that it would be possible for him to be removed to some more congenial climate, presumably California, where the change would, he thought, be beneficial, if it did not work a complete cure.

All the physicians left the house after the issuance of the 11 o clock bulletin. At 2 P. M, in response to an inquiry from a reporter, Mrs. Blaine sent down word that the patient was having a very comfortable afternoon and that the members of the family apprehended no immediate danger. She requested the statement that Mr Blaine had had a hemorrhage be denied and said there was no truth in it.

Slight Improvement in the Evening.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19. "Mr. Blaine maintains this evening the hold he secured this morning when his condition showed a slight improvement," said Dr. Johnston this evening. Dr. Hyatt, the consulting physician, concurred in the statement. They had just come from the sick room, where they had held fifteen minutes consultation. "Mr. Blaine is still in possession of his faculties," continued Dr. Johnston, "and while very weak, is nevertheless as cheerful after the trying ordeal of yesterday as could be expected.

"He converses as freely as is permitted by his family and partakes of nourishment It is impossible to say how long Mr. Blaine is likely to survive. I do not think Mr. Blaine is in any danger of dying to-night. Further than that I do not care to state."

Resting Easily at Midnight.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20 "Mr. Blaine is resting easily," said Dr. Johnston at midnight. "I found him awake and apparently cheerful. He had partaken of nourishment throughout the evening and the family were more cheerful Dr. Loomis' speedy return to New York this evening, is evidence that we do not consider Mr. Blaine in any immediate danger."

The reassuring reports of Mr. Blaine's physicians reduced the number of callers at the house in a remarkable degree.

SCATHING REPORT.

Special Committee Investigates County Commissioners in Connecticut

HARTFORD, Conn., Dec. 19. The report of the special committee appointed to investigate the doings of the county commissioners of the State for three years prior to April, 1891, was presented to-day. No charges are made against any individual, neither does the committee feel authorized to bring any person before the Senate.

The report alleges that certain commissioners in office, during three years have been influenced in their official action by valuable considerations and by political and personal motives and their official positions and influence have been used to gain both political and personal advantage They have exercised their office so as to thwart the expressed will of the people.

They have let pass unnoticed violations of the liquor law and they have granted liquor licenses to keepers of houses of ill repute. Money has been paid to the Commissioners to influence their votes and free liquor and tobacco have been among their perquisites. The Committee makes recommendations aiming to remedy the existing state of affairs.

RECOVERED THE BALANCE.

Judgment Rendered Against the Government.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19. The court of claims to-day gave judgment for $66,835 in favor of Stout, Hall & Bangs, in the suit to recover the balance alleged to be due from the government on account of granite used in the construction of the Congressional Library at Washington

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

Monetary Quotations.

NEW YORK, Dec 19. Money active; 4@6, last loan, 6, closing at 6

Prime Mercantile paper 5@6.

Sterling Exchange—weak, 4.85½@4.85¾ for 60 day bills, 4.87½@4.87¾ demand.

Government bonds steady

Railroad bonds lower.

STOCKS.

Adams Express	153	N. Y. Chic. & St. L.	16½
American Express	119	preferred	73
Central Pacific	27	Ohio & Miss.	20
Ches. & Ohio	23	Ont. & Westn.	18¾
Chicago & Alton	140	Pacific Mail	25½
" preferred	160	Pullman Palace	194
Chic. Bur. & Quincy	98½	Reading	53
Del. Hudson	136¾	Rock Island	83¾
Del. Lack.	165	St. Louis & San Fran 1st preferred	75
Den. & Rio Grande	15½	St. Paul	75¾
Erie	24¾	preferred	119¾
" preferred	55	St. Paul & Omaha	46
Ills. Central	97	preferred	117½
Lake Erie & Westn.	23¼	Sugar	[illegible]
Lake Shore	133	Texas Pacific	[illegible]
Louisville & Nash.	[illegible]	Union Pacific	[illegible]
Mich. Cent.	[illegible]	U. S. Express	[illegible]
Minn. & St. L.	[illegible]	Wabash, St. L. & Pac.	[illegible]
preferred	[illegible]	preferred	[illegible]
Mo. Pacific	[illegible]	Western Union	[illegible]
N. J. Central	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Northern Pacific	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Senate Adjourns as a Mark of Respect To Late Senator Gibson.

Feeling Allusion Made to Mr. Blaine's Illness by Chaplain.

Little Done in the Lower Branch on Monday.

Senate.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19. The attendance of Senators this morning was very small, not more than forty being in the chamber when the opening prayer was offered by Chaplain Butler. The alarming illness of Mr. Blaine was feelingly referred to in the Chaplain's prayer.

As soon as Thursday's journal was read, Mr. Gorman arose and announced the death of Senator Gibson, and in the absence and at the request of Senator White, of Louisiana, Mr. Gorman closed by offering the usual resolutions expressive of the Senate's profound sorrow at the death of Mr. Gibson, and for the appointment of a committee to attend the funeral at Lexington, Ky. The resolutions were adopted.

The committee was announced as Messrs. White, Butler, Gorman, Pettigrew and Shoup. The Senate at 12.15, as a further mark of respect, adjourned till to-morrow.

House.

There was a very light attendance of members in the House to-day. This being suspension day, there came up from the last session, the bill for the relief of William L. Winans of Baltimore, the inventor of the spindle-shaped ship. Opposition was manifested, between Winans and the inventors of the whaleback vessels. The latter were successful. The bill requires a two-thirds vote to secure its passage, and the vote stood yeas 27; nays 75. On motion to pass the bill it was lost.

Mr. Watson, of Missouri, called up a bill increasing the pension of the pensioners of the Mexican war from $8 to $12 a month. Bill passed. House adjourned

A TERRIFIC EXPLOSION.

Big Fire in Albany and One Man Horribly Burned.

Seven Men Buried Under a Heavy Brick Wall.

Three Killed and Others Injured in the Wreck.

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 19. This afternoon a terrific explosion occured in the elevator shaft of the Fort Orange Milling Company's building, facing on the river front, backing on the Erie Canal basin. The sparks set fire to the grain and flour and before an alarm was sent in the structure was a mass of flames.

Charles B. Woolverton, a member of the firm, was in the office, and before he could get out, he was burned in a most horrible manner.

When the firemen got to work it was seen that the building was doomed. Their efforts were directed to saving the canal boats and the steam tugs laid up in the basin which had taken fire from the falling timbers. After two hours' hard work the fire was got under control. The total loss will not exceed $70,000, though it is partially covered by insurance.

Shortly after 8 P. M. the east wall, sixty feet high, toppled over and buried seven firemen under eight feet of debris. Three were killed and two seriously injured, one of whom may die. The other two were not badly hurt.

FIRE RECORD.

Heavy Loss by Fire in St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 19. Fire broke out at 6.20 P. M., in the four story building occupied by the Udell Woodware Company, on Fourth street, which occupied half a block. The flames spread across the street to the upholstery department of the Scarrett Furniture Co, which was gutted.

The fire spread west to the building being remodelled for the Crane Furniture Co., across to the warehouse of the same company and then to the four story building adjoining, occupied by the Tyler Desk Co. and the United States and Pacific Express Companies. The losses are: Udell Wooden Ware Co., $125,000; Scarrett Furniture Co., $15,000; Crane Furniture Co., $25,000; Tyler Desk Co., $63,000; building, $45,000. The insurance cannot be learned.

WHITTIER'S PROPERTY.

Inventory of $133,729 Filed at Salem.

SALEM, Mass, Dec. 19. Among the inventories filed at the Probate Court to-day was that of the estate of John G. Whittier. The amount was $133,729 of which $8,000 is real estate at Amesbury. The balance is personal property, largely in stocks and bonds. The household furniture was appraised at $1,000; portraits and pictures, $976; copyright of "Child Life in Prose," "Song of Three Centuries," and "Child Life," $500; all other copyrights, $5,000.

STRIKE AT SPRING HILL.

All the Miners go out and Business is Paralyzed.

HALIFAX, N. S., Dec. 19. All the miners and workmen of the Spring Hill collieries, the largest in Nova Scotia, struck to-day and operations have entirely ceased. The immediate cause of the trouble is the grievances respecting short weight and docking. A thousand persons are thrown out of employment and the business of the town of Spring Hill will be paralyzed. Several railroads, including the Intercolonial, are effected.

BUSINESS TROUBLES.

President Sibley of Elevator Company Fails.

CHICAGO, Dec. 19. Dennis E. Sibley, President of the Sibley Elevator Company, failed this afternoon. The liabilities are $200,000.

Failure of Wood Paper Company

NEW YORK, Dec. 19. The failure of the American Wood Paper Company was reported to-day. Their mills are at Manayunk and Spring City, Pa., and headquarters at Providence. The company was one of the oldest wood paper makers in the country.

NO REASON

For a Conference on the Financial Situation.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19. Secretary of the Treasury Foster to-day denied that he intended to go to New York to confer with bankers about the financial situation and declared that there was no reason why he should do so.

New Advertisements.

Jas. Mooney & Co., 94 Exchange street, have a fine line of silver plated ware and lamps for Christmas gifts. You can save money by buying of them this week.

The days are very short at the present time, but will soon begin to lengthen giving more daylight.

The second annual exhibition of the boys' classes at the Young Men's Christian Association gymnasium will occur at Y. M. C. A. Hall on Tuesday evening, next week and it will be an athletic event of much interest. The examinations have been postponed to January 3rd.

An order for 100 copies in the fine binding, of "Re-told Tales of the Hills and Shores of Maine," from San Francisco has been received by Mrs. H. G. Rowe the talented author. It comes from natives of Maine who are now living on the Pacific slope and who wish to read of familiar scenes and events. The order will be filled at once.

Young men were skating upon the [illegible] above the toll bridge yesterday afternoon but it would seem a very careless proceeding as the ice is quite thin yet. Great care is necessary at this time of the year when the ice is just beginning to form and a little heed will prevent many a fatality. To wait for stronger ice can do no harm.

Ross & Howell's tug boats have gone into winter quarters at Bucksport, the port being at present closed and if it should again open there would be nothing further to do here. The Bismarck will be busy for a short time at Bucksport towing out vessels from that place to the bay and doing some other work, but will remain there during the winter.

Invitations will be out this forenoon for the return dance to be given in Society Hall, Wednesday evening, December 28th for the "Ghost Party" in City Hall a short time ago, and it will be a very pleasant social event. The committee is composed of Messrs. John L. Parker, Frank B. Goodenow, Robert H. McLaughlin, Percival [illegible] Hubbard, Franklin E. Bragg and Edward W. Woodbury.

Our Lincoln correspondent writes J[illegible] Hooker Post, No. 86, G A R., of Lincoln proposes to give a Christmas ball and supper at their hall in Lincoln, on Monday evening, Dec 26th. A good time is assured. The course of assemblies lately started is deservedly very popular under the present efficient management, as it should be, for every objectionable feature is entirely excluded The attendance has steadily increased from the first.

Hon James P Baxter, of Portland, will be the guest of the Unitarian Club Wednesday evening, and will read a paper to the club. Mr. Baxter has given much study to the subject of Associated Charities and Co-operations His views will be very valuable as well as interesting. Mr. Baxter is the gentleman who with his liberality and public spirit presented the beautiful Public Library to Portland, thus seeing his wishes carried out in his life time.

The bowling game yesterday at the Y. M. C. A gymnasium between the Bangor Business College and Bangor High School teams was won by the High School team by a score of 786 to 707. The best record was made by Capt. Cobb, of the winning team, his total being 1[illegible] The players were as follows Bangor High School—Field, Jordan, Cobb (Capt.) Bass, Arnold. Bangor Business College —Fox, Bushby, Chillis, Mutty, Dav[illegible] (Capt.)

A telegram received by Joseph Semple Esq, announces the death of Arthur [illegible] Pond, Esq., of Minneapolis, formerly of Bangor. Mr. Pond was at one time associated in business with Mr. Semple and [illegible] this city in 1874. He had been very successful in his business in the West. Last year he made a visit in Bangor. In September he had a paralytic shock in New York and did not recover from its effects. He leaves a widow, three children and a brother to mourn his loss.

Work upon Society Hall in the new Nichols block is fast progressing and the hall will be in readiness for use upon the occasion of the several dancing parties next week. It is of good size, attractively decorated and its arrangements are of the most convenient kind. The floor will [illegible] in excellent condition for dancing and sure to please the dancers. The dressing rooms are large and very comfortably arranged. The hall will be a very popular place for social gatherings.

One of the finest entertainments to [illegible] given in our city this season will take place Thursday, December 29th, at Y. M. C. A. Hall, when the "Boston Stars" will appear. This company comprises four artists that stand at the head in their respective lines, Miss Marion Osgood, solo violinist; Miss Viola Morrill, soprano Miss Edith Florence Bickford, reader and piano soloist. From the fact that the company pass through on their way East to fill an engagement have arrangements been made to secure them.

Eight pieces of Pullen's Orchestra will furnish music for the New Year's annual concert and ball under the auspices of the H. A. P. Hose Company, of Old Town The managers, Dr. G. G. Weld, H. [illegible] Pratt and Hugh Gibbons, are the most popular men of the city with the dancing public. The company has also secured aids that are no less popular in their respective towns. Mr. Pullen has arranged the following selections for the concert March, The Ensign; overture, The Fair Queen; Danse Napolitaine; selection Last of the Hogans; American Dance.

At the annual meeting of the Colby Oracle Association, Dennis Evarts Bowman '96 was elected editor-in-chief of the Colby Oracle. It was also voted to present, at the beginning of the winter term of college, Sheridan's drama entitled "Rivals" Last year the students presented Goldsmith's drama "She Stoops to Conquer" This play received so much favorable comment, that the students have felt encouraged to again try their hand at dramatic art. Although the College has lost Prof. Battis, who is a born actor, yet his place is ably supplied by Prof. Currie who will train the characters in the coming play.

Drs. Weeks, Pendleton, King and O'Neill operated upon Conductor M. [illegible] Healy, of the Maine Central, at the Maine General Hospital Saturday, removing the vermiform appendix, says the Portland [illegible]

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duty to lay to hold an adjourned meeting at their room at the Court House, for the purpose of transacting routine business.

The Bangor Ice Company began yesterday to scrape its field above Bull's Eye Bridge. They have five inches of ice in their field and will without doubt harvest a fine crop.

Bear in mind the sale of Christmas novelties this afternoon at four o'clock in Hammond street church vestry by the "Daily Workers" circle of King's Daughters. There is no admission fee.

The bird shooting season is now over, the open time extending from September 1st to December 1st. The hunters have found birds fairly plenty and quite a number of partridges and woodcock have been shot, while plover have not been very scarce.

The Portland Company is engaged upon two baggage cars and an electric motor car for the Monson railroad, which seems to be about joining the procession with the great railroads of the country in trying the virtues of the subtle fluid. The result of the experiment will be interesting to observe.

Dr. E. W. Gould, of Belfast, commissioner of seashore fisheries, will attend the conference of the international fish commissioners at Detroit, Michigan, today. Dr. Gould, who is making a collection of fishes for the World's Exposition, invites all persons having especially odd or curious fish to communicate with him.

The State Grange will meet at Lewiston to-day and to-morrow and an interesting programme has been arranged. Matters of importance to the grange will come up for discussion and action. A number of members from this section of the State passed through the city yesterday on their way to Lewiston to attend the entire session.

A number of improvements have been made at the office of the Penobscot Exchange recently. A part of the reading room has been taken for a room which can be used for a private dining room, writing room or bed room and it has been nicely furnished. Other minor improvements have added to the comfort and appearance of the office.

The fall term of the Maine State College closes next Friday. Examinations are being held this week and the students will leave the latter part of the week for their homes to pass the Christmas vacation. The arrangement this year is about the same as that of the other colleges and it is considered that it will prove more satisfactory in the long run, although it does not give as much vacation time for teaching as formerly.

Our Own Folks and Other Folks.

Mr. C. S. Bither, of Houlton, is in the city.

Mr. B. F. Brown, of Portland, is in the city.

T. G. Stickney, Esq., is confined to the house by a cold.

Mr. A. F. Mitchell, of Hartland, was in the city yesterday.

Hon. F. M. Simpson, of Carmel, is in the city on business.

Mr. A. A. Blanchard, of Springfield, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. and M . M. Arnold left yesterday for a visit to Boston.

Col. G. A. Philbrook, of Augusta, is in the city at the Bangor House.

Judge L. A. Emery, of Ellsworth, is in the city at the Bangor House.

Edward Stetson, Esq., left yesterday for a business trip to New York.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Fiske, of Mattawamkeag, were in the city yesterday.

C. H. Dennett, Esq., and family have taken rooms at the Bangor House.

Prof. W. H. Jordan, of the Maine State College, was in the city yesterday.

Miss Carrie B. Wadleigh, of Old Town, has been visiting friends in the city.

Hon. W. L. Scribner, of Springfield, was in the city yesterday on business.

Hon. George C. Wing, of Auburn, was in the city yesterday on a business trip.

Mr. J. Fred Webster has returned from a business trip to Boston and New York.

Miss Mary F. Duren, of Wellesley College, is home for the Christmas vacation.

Mr. W. H. Paul, of Rock Island, Ill., and Mrs. David Paul, of Solon, are in the city.

Miss MacNichol, who has been visiting in this city, returned to Calais yesterday

Rev. E. F. Pember left yesterday for a pleasure trip to the Katahdin Iron Works.

Mr. Albion Guptill and Llinnie Guptill, of Ellsworth, were in the city yesterday.

Dr. and Mrs. G. G. Weld, of Old Town, who have been visiting in this city, have returned.

Mr. Albert W. Curtis, nephew of the late Hon. A. G. Wakefield, is in the city on business.

Dr. A. C. Hamlin has been visiting his daughter in Brookline, Mass., during the past few days.

Rev. G. W. Hinckley, of Good Will Home, East Fairfield, is in the city for a several days' visit.

Mr. Henry R. S. Rowe, of Boston, arrived here last evening on a visit to his brother, Mr. J. S. Rowe.

Mrs. and Mrs. Anderson, of Lynn, Mass., are in the city for a short time at the Penobscot Exchange.

Col. E. C. Farrington, of Augusta, who came here to present the medals to the Hamlin Rifles, and wife, are at the Bangor House.

Mrs. Helen Winslow Potter and Miss Mae Silsby left yesterday for New Sharon where they were to have participated in a concert last evening.

Mr. N. M. Jones, superintendent of the mill of the Howland Falls Pulp and Paper Company, was in the city yesterday on a business trip and returned on the afternoon train.

Railroad Commissioners D. N. Martland and E. F. Chadbourne were at the Bangor House last night. They leave this morning for a business trip over a part of the Bangor & Aroostook railroad.

Forrest Goodwin, Esq., has returned to Portland [illegible]

At the Young Men's Christian Association Building Monday Evening.

Able Addresses by Rev. G. W. Field, D. D., and J. G. Blake, Esq.

The Young Men's Christian Association building has been in most successful use for over a year, but the dedication did not occur until last evening for a reason which is a just one. It was determined not to have the dedication until the building was free from debt. The lifting of all debt was accomplished the first of November and this joyful result was the occasion of the preparation for the formal exercises of last evening, when a large number gathered at the handsome Y. M. C. A. Hall to show their appreciation of the noble and extensive work being done by the association and to listen to the interesting exercises.

President J. G. Blake presided and upon the platform with him were the members of the building fund committee, the officers of the Association, the Theological Seminary professors, the pastors of this city and Brewer and Rev. G. W. Hinckley, of Good Will Home, East Fairfield.

The exercises began at 7.30 o'clock with a finely rendered song by the Apollo Quartette, after which Rev. George B. Ilsley read a passage of scripture. The dedicatory prayer was offered by Rev. J. M. Frost and it was followed by singing by the Apollo Quartette.

The historical address by President J. G. Blake, was a complete sketch of the building from its beginning to its present condition, and it gave due credit where credit belonged. Besides being a compilation of facts it was a very interesting, appropriate and well delivered address, and was warmly applauded.

(The full text of the address will be found on the first page of this morning's issue.)

Singing by the Apollo Quartette followed the remarks of President Blake and the formal transfering of the building from the building committee to the association then occurred, J. G. Clark, Esq., performing the ceremony. Mr. Clark said:

Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen:

In making a report for the Building Fund Committee and the Building Committee it would take too much time to give it in detail, so I will only give a few facts. It is always well to be happy, and sometimes even to boast of happiness. I am happy to-night to be able to boast for the ladies, the business men, the professional men and the laboring men; also for the churches in Bangor and Brewer for what you have done.

You have built this home for our young men, and paid for it; and I boast for you, that you never allowed it to be mortgaged. To-night it is free from debt, and has over $3,000 towards its endowment. I take the liberty to say that Bangor is very broad in its Christian work. When there is a "Home for Children," an "Old Ladies Home" or a Young Men's Christian Association building to be built, we all work together as one body. In November, 1887, our two Committees were formed. In starting out to collect for any object, in order to have success the solicitor must know the object is a good one, and he must give freely himself. Our Committee started out with these views.

Four of them headed the subscription list with one thousand dollars each; this gave them confidence in themselves, and it made the public have confidence in them. Again, I will boast for Bangor, she is a liberal city, she gives to all good objects. I was on the committee in '61 to raise money for our soldiers, again in '64 at Sanitary Fair, and I have been on many times since to raise money for Chicago, St. John and Eastport fires, and a hundred other good objects. I never have been on one of these public soliciting committees and missed securing what we started out for.

The edifice, built for a home for young men, by the ladies, the business men, the professional men, and the laboring men, is now completed and free from all debt. We are now ready to turn the keys over to you, Mr. President of the Young Men's Christian Association, as their representative, and we trust an influence will go out from this building which will make our 3,000 young men better citizens and more Godly men.

In accepting the keys President Blake said that he did so with a feeling of responsibility which was gladly assumed because he felt that in giving up the keys the building committee had not given up its interest or moral support, and he also felt that Almighty God smiled upon the association. He hoped that with the help of Almighty God and the friends of the Y. M. C. A. the building would always be a home for young men.

The address by Rev. G. W. Field, D. D., was a most eloquent, able and interesting effort and delivered with all the telling earnestness for which Dr. Field is noted. It was listened to with the greatest interest and heartily applauded.

(A comprehensive abstract of Dr. Field's address appears on the first page of this morning's issue.)

The interesting exercises closed with the singing of the Doxology by the Apollo Quartette and audience and prayer by Prof. J. S. Sewall.

Upon the programme of the evening were be following under the head of "Some Building Facts":

First Subscription,	January 6th, 1886
Last Subscription,	November 5th, 1892
Smallest,	$ .10
Largest,	6,000.00
Subscribed by Ladies' Auxiliary,	7,512.82
Total number of Subscribers,	377
Cost of Lot,	$10,000.00
Cost of Building and Furnishings,	$ 55,388.36
Commenced to Build,	April 19th, 1890
Corner Stone laid,	September 1st, 1890
Building Occupied,	October 1st, 1891
Dedicated Free of Debt,	December 19th, 1892

Building Committee—J. G. Clark, J. F. Colby W. F. Brann, Sprague Adams, Moses Giddings, Thomas White, B. B. Thatcher, F. O. Buzzell, J. A. Dole, Geo. W. E. Barrows, J. G. Blake, E. A. Jordan.

Architect—W. E. Mansur.
Contractor—W. N. Sawyer.

AMUSEMENTS.

Across the Continent.

This evening at the Opera House we are promised a treat in the illustrated lecture by Mr. Charles L. Flint on a trip across the continent. The audience will have an opportunity to travel with the speaker across the high Sierras, through the perpetual summer of Southern California, visiting on the trip the world renowned Yosemite and other places of interest. The lecture will be illustrated by a large number of stereopticon views, which will

HAMLIN RIFLES HEAD.

The Hamlin Rifles Lead the State Militia in Marksmanship—Presentation of Medals and Badges to the Company.

The Hamlin Rifles of this city, Co. G, of the 2nd regiment of State militia, won the highest laurels for themselves and for Bangor in the rifle practice of the past season, and they were last evening presented with the medals and badges which are the marks of the honors they have won by hard, persistent and commendable work, they having surpassed all other militia companies in the State in marksmanship.

The ceremony of presentation occurred in the company's armory in Mercantile square at 8 o'clock. The company was in full uniform and a short drill was held first, after which the guests of the evening entered the hall and the exercises began. Among those present were Col. E. C. Farrington, State Inspector of Rifle Practice; Col. C. A. Philbrook, of Gov. Burleigh's staff, and representing the Governor; Col. Victor Brett, Maj. L. S. Chilcott, Quartermaster O. B. Bridge, of North Brewer; Gen. H. L. Mitchell, Hon. B. F. Chadbourne, of Biddeford, and members of the City Government, in addition to a large number of spectators. The presentation was made by Col. Farrington and with the company in the attitude of "attention" he made a fitting and interesting address.

He expressed great pleasure at being able to be present on such an occasion and said he had taken great interest in the work of the company during the year. The company is greatly changed from its former condition. As a result of its hard work and practice it has placed itself in the front rank, and every man has qualified in some of the classes of marksmanship. In the United States no other company of the volunteer militia is composed of so efficient riflemen. He complimented Capt. Mitchell and Lieut. Pottle, the latter the company inspector of rifle practice, for their earnest efforts for the success of the Rifles, giving them great credit, and said the company should be proud of its position and of its officers. For its services the company only received a small amount of pay, and the results it has brought about have cost much of the members' time and money. This example is one that should be upheld and admired by the citizens. The Colonel paid a high compliment to Gen. H. L. Mitchell during his remarks.

Col. Farrington referred to the fact that the company needed a 600 or 600 yard range, and recommended that this encouragement be given it. He read the roll of the company, with the records of the individual members, which showed that ten were sharpshooters, the highest class, and all of the rest were included in the 1st, 2nd and 3rd classes of marksmen. He explained the abilities necessary to entitle one to belong to the various classes, and the whole had the effect of showing the work done by the Rifles in the most admirable light. Col. Farrington then in behalf of the State presented the medals and badges, and closed with the admonition that they be worn with honor, and gave the recipients considerable sensible advice.

Col. Victor Brett was called on for remarks and responded in a happy manner. He paid a tribute to Capt. Mitchell and Lieut. Pottle for their efficient work and said he was proud of the success of the company and its record. Major L. S. Chilcott, formerly captain of the company, said he was proud of the efficiency of the Hamlin Rifles, that the work had been done squarely and honorably and the company was a credit to the city and the State. Col. C. A. Philbrook, representing Gov. Burleigh, expressed his pleasure at meeting the company, and brought the greetings of the Governor, who was unable to be present. Gen. H. L. Mitchell spoke in a pleasant vein and referred to Col. Farrington in most complimentary terms. He expressed his pride in the company saying it stood at the head of the service.

Col. Farrington rose to thank General Mitchell for his courtesy and continued his remarks, advocating the hearty support of the Rifles by Bangor and her citizens. He then called on Hon. B. F. Chadbourne, of Biddeford, who said he supported all movements in favor of the militia, because he thought all advancement in that line was a step towards universal peace. He spoke of the importance and requirements of the militia service, and admiration of the company's record and pleasure at its success. Councilman Cameron said he wished the company and its achievements brought to the front that the people might know of them and assured the Rifles of his hearty support.

The company then broke ranks and a time was spent socially, after which fatigue uniform was donned and another drill was held. The exercises of the evening were complimentary to the Rifles in the extreme and the city has a right to take pride in Company G's achievements.

PENOBSCOT FROZEN.

The River Now Closed to Navigation

It was found yesterday morning that the Penobscot river had frozen over and unless a thaw comes it will doubtless remain closed to navigation. The ice is thin but with cold weather will gain rapidly. The following table gives a comprehensive idea of the time of the closing and opening of the river:

	Opened.	Closed.		Opened.	Closed.
1818	May 1	Dec. 10	1858	" 11	" 12
1819	Apr. 19	" 5	1859	Mch 30	" 9
1820	" 18	Nov. 28	1860	Apr 16	" 7
1821	" 15	Dec. 1	1861	" 11	" 20
1822	" 10	" 5	1862	" 18	" 6
1823	" 19	" 9	1863	" 15	" 2
1824	" 10	" 12	1864	" 8	" 12
1825	" 11	" 14	1865	Mch 31	" 8
1826	" 5	" 16	1866	Apr. 19	" 14
1827	" 2	" 6	1867	" 18	" 10
1828	" 1	" 18	1868	" 18	" 10
1829	" 14	" 16	1869	" 11	" 9
1830	" 9	Dec 8 / Jan. 9	1870	" 8	" 21
1831	" 1	Dec. 3	1871	Mch 13	Nov 17
1832	" 19	" 4	1872	Apr 19	Dec 10
1833	" 9	" 2	1873	" 19	" 2
1834	" 8	" 9	1874	" 16	" 11
1835	" 17	Nov 27	1875	" 16	Nov 29
1836	" 12	" 27	1876	" 12	" 10
1837	" 15	" 27	1877	Mch. 29	" 30
1838	" 21	Dec. 24	1878	April 2	" 19
1839	" 17	" 1	1879	" 24	" 19
1840	" 1	" 5	1880	" 6	Nov. 26
1841	" 27	" 19	1881	Mch 20	Dec. 11
1842	Mar. 21	Nov. 19	1882	" 12	Jan 8
1843	Apr. 21	" 30	1883	Aprils	Dec. 9
1844	" 12	" 27	1884	" 4	" 19
1845	" 21	Dec. 7	1885	" 18	" 17
1846	Mar 29	" 15	1886	" 16	" 5
1847	Apr. 23	" 15	1887	" 23	" 22
1848	" 12	" 21	1888	" 10	" 15
1849	" 1	" 7	1889	Mch 31	Jan 9
1850	" 1	" 8	1890	Apr. 8	Dec 8
1851	" 8	" 20	1891	Mch. 28	Dec 16
1852	" 21	" 15	1892	Jan. 26	Jan 26
1853	" 5	" 8		Jan. 19	Jan. 21
1854	Apr. 27	Dec. 5		April 2	Dec. 19
1856	" 15	" 1			
1856	" 16	" 7			
1857	" 6	" 19			

Fears Bodily Harm.

Capt. William Armstrong about whose family troubles considerable has appeared in print recently, was placed under arrest yesterday on complaint of his wife, who has separated from her husband. She fears that he means to inflict bodily harm upon her and desired that he be taken into custody, which has been done. It was reported that he had uttered threats and Mrs. Armstrong has been informed that he was seen prowling about her house all night Sunday. The warrant for his arrest was issued yesterday and the police succeeded in finding him in a short time and locking him up in the police station.

COMMITTED SUICIDE.

Mr. Daniel F. Jewett, of South Etna, Hangs Himself.

Daniel F. Jewett, a well to do and highly respected citizen of South Etna, suicided by hanging Sunday afternoon, writes a correspondent. His wife, who was temporarily absent, was shocked to find upon her return home a note upon the table bidding her an affectionate farewell, with messages to other members of the family, and also informing her of the rash step he was about to take. Mrs. Jewett being greatly alarmed immediately called Mr. Goodell, a near neighbor, who together with Major Melvin, began a search, and found him in a stable. They immediately cut him down, but life was extinct. As will be remembered Mr. Jewett lost his buildings by fire last August, since which time he has replaced them with much labor and expense. As his domestic relations were of a happy nature, it is thought the great amount of labor necessarily performed, together with his financial loss, had somewhat affected his mind, causing him to do the deed. The deceased leaves a wife and four children, one son and three daughters, all married, who deeply mourn his loss. His age was about sixty-five years.

Vessels at the World's Fair

The collection of vessel models for exhibition by Maine at the World's Fair has been completed and a most interesting display is assured. The models of the old and new Rappahannock will be seen side by side, the models of the Frederick Billing and the Gov. Ames adjoining the model of the Ocean Chief, that won fame in clipper days by beating a Cunard steamer across to Liverpool, and other well known craft of all times from 1825 upward. The early models will be curiosities even to the majority of the present generation, being of the skeleton type and showing nothing of the finish that characterizes the work of modern designers. The collection of models includes every kind of craft ever produced in Maine, and each of the more notable ones will have a brief of its history attached.

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Arrangement of Trains.

In Effect Oct. 2, 1892.

Until further notice trains will leave Bangor as follows

GOING EAST.

5 45 A M —For St. Stephen, Aroostook County, St. John and all points East of Bangor in Maine and the Provinces, with Parlor car for St. John

7 25 A M —For Old Town and B & P R R

11 30 A M —For Old Town, Milford and B & P R R

12 20 P M—For Old Town, Mattawamkeag, Vanceboro and way stations

12.25 P M.—(Mixed) for Old Town and Mattawamkeag

4 35 P M.—For Old Town

7 30 P M —Night express train for St Stephen, Woodstock, Aroostook County and St. John, with sleeping car for St. John attached, daily, Sundays included, to Vanceboro and St. John.

GOING WEST.

7 20 A M —For Waterville, Augusta, Hallowell, Gardiner, Brunswick, Lewiston, Bath, Portland and Boston, connecting at Newport for Dover and Foxcroft, at Waterville for Oakland, Winthrop, Farmington, etc and at Portland for all points on White Mountains Division, Lancaster, Colebrook N H, Quebec, P Q, and Montreal and the West. Runs daily, Sunday included Parlor car Boston

12 30 P M —(Mixed) for Waterville and way stations

1 40 P M —Flying Yankee with through Parlor car via Augusta, for Newport, Dexter, Dover and Foxcroft, Pittsfield, Burnham, Belfast, Waterville, Augusta Portland and Boston

4 40 P M —For Dover and Foxcroft and B & P R R via Dexter and mixed from Newport for all stations as far as Waterville inclusive.

8 00 P M —Every Night for Portland and Boston via Augusta, connecting for Lewiston, Bath and Rockland, with Pullman sleeping cars attached

☞ Night trains between Bangor and Boston and between Bangor and St. John, run every night, Sundays included

BUCKSPORT BRANCH

Trains leave Bangor for Bucksport, at 7.30 A M, 1 45 and 7 10 P M Arrive at Bucksport at 8.35 A M 3 25 and 8 15 P M Leave Bucksport for Bangor at 5 45 and 9 50 A M, and 4 50 P M Arrive in Bangor at 6 55 11 20 A M and 6 50 P M

MT DESERT BRANCH

Trains leave Bangor for Ellsworth and Bar Harbor at 00 A M 8 10 A M (mixed) 7 00 P M Leave Ellsworth at 8 25 11 05 A M (mixed), and 8 30 P M Arrive at Bar Harbor 10 15 A M 1.35 P M (mixed and 9 30 P M weather permitting ferry passage All trains except ng 7 00 P M connect for Sullivan and Sorrento

Trains leave Bar Harbor (steamer) at 8 00 and 11 00 A M (mixed) 3 40 P M Leave Mt. Desert Ferry 9.35 A M, 1 05 P M mixed), and 5 10 P M Leave Ellsworth 10 10 A M 2 00 P M (mixed), 5.40 P M Arrive in Bangor at 11 30 A M, 4.35 mixed) and 7 00 P M

ARRIVALS.

Through trains from the East arrive at 6 25 A M., 1 20 P M (Yankee) and 7 10 P M From B & P R R 10 05 A M and 6 20 P M From Milford, 2 25 P M Mattawamkeag (mixed), 11 05 A M

From the West—Arrive from Boston and Portland, 5 05 A M, and 6.30 P M From Portland, 11.35 A M From Waterville and from Dover and Foxcroft via Dexter 9 12 and 1 35 A M, and 6.30 P M From Waterville and Belfast at 12 00 M (mixed) Sunday paper train 1 15 A M

NOTE — Time of arrival and departure here given is that at Maine Central Depot, for Exchange Street depot a slight difference should be allowed

Through tickets to principal points East and West by all routes are on sale at the Maine Central Ticket Office For Pullman Berths or information call on or telephone A W Benson Ticket Agent.

PAYSON TUCKER,
Vice President and General Manager,

F E BOOTHBY,
General Passenger and Ticket Agent

September 29 1892

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Bangor & Aroostook R. R.

PISCATAQUIS DIVISION.

ARRANGEMENT OF TRAINS
STANDARD TIME

On and after THURSDAY Oct 2 1892

Passenger trains leave Bangor Maine Central Depot at 7 25 A M, and 4 35 P M Exchange Street 7 36 A M and 4 40 P M, for Greenville and intermediate stations arriving in Dover at 10 30 A M and 0 P M, and Greenville at 11 50 A M and 8 56 P M Katahdin Iron Works, 10 45 A M and 8 1 M

Passenger trains leave Greenville at 6 00 A M and 7 00 P M, Dover at 7.45 A M and 3 50 P M, Katahdin Iron Works 5 30 A M and 3 00 P M, arriving in Bangor Exchange street, at 10 00 A M, and 6 15 P M, connecting with Maine Central Railroad for Portland and Boston

A Mixed Train leaves Bangor Exchange street, at 11 40 A M arriving in Dover and Foxcroft at 4 55 P M and Greenville at 8 30 P M, Katahdin Iron Works 4 00 P M

A Mixed Train leaves Greenville at 3.30 A M and Dover and Foxcroft at 6.30 A M, Katahdin Iron Works at 5.30 A.M, arriving in Old Town at 10 15 A M

Railway connection at Old Town and Dover and Foxcroft, with Maine Central Railroad, at Monson Junction with the Monson Railroad At Greenville with Canadian Pacific Railway

STAGE CONNECTIONS

At South Sebec, daily, for Sebec Village and Barnard

At Abbot Village daily, for Willimantic

At Guilford, daily for Parkman

STEAMBOAT CONNECTIONS

At Greenville to and from Kineo and Lily Bay

F W CRAM, General Manager

THE
CANADIAN PACIFIC RY.

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To Detroit and Chicago,

every TUESDAY at 9 00 P M

To SEATTLE

and points on the

PACIFIC COAST,

Every WEDNESDAY at 8 15 P M

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Montreal

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Ass't Gen Pass Agent,
St. John, N B,

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STEAMBOATS.

Boston & Bangor Steamship Co.

Change in Time.

THREE TRIPS A WEEK TO BOSTON.



Commencing Monday, November 7th, 1892, steamers will leave Bangor, for Hampden, Winterport Bucksport, Searsport Belfast, Camden, Rockland and Boston, Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays at 11.00 A M

RETURNING.

From Boston, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 4 00 P M

From Rockland, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 5.00 A M, touching at Camden, Belfast, Searsport, Bucksport, Winterport, and Hampden

HENRY T SANBORN, Agent, Bangor.
WILLIAM H. HILL, General Manager, Boston.

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WINTER ARRANGEMENT, NOV. 1st, 1892.

Two Trips Per Week.

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Leaves Bangor Every



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Good Cooking Molasses, 35c.

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to the BREWER LAUNDRY, where it is done the best, and being done by hand saves much wear on the clothes Satisfaction guaranteed

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F. A. HOLT, Proprietor.

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Orono National Bank.

The stockholders of the Orono National Bank are hereby notified that their annual meeting will be held at their Banking Room on MONDAY, the second day of January next, at 3 o'clock P M. for the election of a board of directors and the transaction of any other business that may legally come before them

ALBERT WHITE Cashier

Orono Dec 2, 1892 dec3 td

First National Bank of Bangor.

The Stockholders of the First National Bank of Bangor are notified that their annual meeting will be held at their Banking Rooms on TUESDAY the tenth day of January next, at three o'clock P M, for the choice of Directors and for such other business as may legally come before them

E G WYMAN, Cashier

Bangor, December 8, 1892. dec9

Partnership Notice.

The undersigned have this day formed a copartnership for the purpose of carrying on a general retail grocery business at No 11 East Market Square under the firm name of Thompson & Bartlett

WM H THOMPSON
JOHN W. BARTLETT

Bangor, Dec 12, 1892 dec13 1w

Kenduskeag National Bank.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Kenduskeag National Bank of Bangor, will be held at their Banking Room, on TUESDAY, January 10th, 1893, at 11 o'clock A M., to choose a Board of Directors and to transact any other business that may properly come before them

W H S. LAWRENCE, Cashier

Bangor Dec 8, 1892.

Veazie National Bank of Bangor.

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of this Bank will be held at their Banking room, TUESDAY, the tenth day of January next, at three o'clock P M for the choice of Directors and the transaction of any other business that may legally come before them.

A B TAYLOR, Cashier.

Bangor, Dec 7, 1892 dec8



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BREWER LOCALS.

One man who applied for the same, was given shelter in the lock-up, Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Baldwin, of Prentiss, have been in the city, visiting with Capt. and Mrs. Baldwin.

Miss Emma Clark, one of the teachers in the Augusta schools, is at her home in this city to spend her holiday vacation of two weeks.

A large number of Brewer people attended the dedicatory exercises of the Bangor Y. M. C. A. Building, last evening, in that city.

The metal bases for some of the digesters at the pulp mill, which are being changed, have arrived and been taken to the establishment.

The regular weekly meeting of Volunteer Circle of King's Daughters, was held, last evening, with Mrs. George Pettingill, at her home on Wilson street.

The Christian Endeavor society connected with the First Congregational church, is to hold a sunrise prayer meeting next Sunday, Christmas morning, at 8 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Doughty have the sincere sympathies of all in the death of their infant son, John Stanley Doughty, which occurred Sunday night, at their residence on Holyoke street. The funeral will be held at 2.30 o'clock this afternoon.

A special collection was taken by the First Congregational Y. P. S. C. E., at its meeting, Sunday evening, to raise funds for special decorations in the church next Sunday, Christmas day. A good sum was realized, and the church will undoubtedly be finely decorated.

A slight amount of snow fell, yesterday, but not enough to help the going to any appreciable extent. Some few teams were to be seen on runners, during the day, but most people retained wheels. A few inches of snow would make excellent sleighing, and people are hoping a good amount may fall soon.

In accordance with the sermon on the proper observance of the Sabbath preached by Rev. J. T. Crosby at the First M. E. church Sunday, petitions are to be circulated by members of the church asking the legislature to enact laws prohibiting Sunday excursions and other violations of the Sabbath.

Rev. J. T. Crosby, the pastor of the First M. E. Church, received a present of a load of wood, yesterday afternoon. and it came under peculiar conditions The wood was presented by Mr. Howard Whelden, but it was loaded into the cart and the team driven to Mr. Crosby's residence by twelve of the ladies of his church, who, after unloading the wood drove the cart back to its owner.

Business at Mr. A. G. Ray's store is so brisk that he has been obliged to add to his force of clerks and Miss Grace Sargent, Miss Maud Bissell and Miss Lottie Ray are assisting there during the holidays Mr. Ray has his store handsomely trimmed for the occasion, and all who visit him to select their Christmas gifts from his large and beautiful stock will be quickly and politely waited upon.

Garfield Lodge, I. O. of G. T., was to hold an initiation of candidates at its regular weekly meeting in Harlow's Hall, last evening. Fourteen names were proposed for membership at the previous meeting and it was expected that eleven or twelve of those proposed would be taken in last night. The lodge's growth is rapid and continual and it now numbers over one hundred members, a large increase over the membership last spring, when the lodge was reorganized

Yesterday forenoon the ferry boat Bon Ton was hauled out into her winter quarters near the Brewer slip. She made her last trip for the season Saturday evening, having run one day later than last year, when she made her last trip about 9 o'clock on the evening of the 16th of December and then had to break her way through the fast forming ice. If the river should open again the row boats will probably be used to carry the passengers back and forth.

The river remained frozen over yesterday, and the general opinion was that it had closed for the season, although a few days of warm weather would probably open it again. In the channel, just below the toll bridge, quite a space of open water could be seen but otherwise than this there were no appearances of the ice breaking up. It must be very thin as yet, however, and should be kept off of. Some boys were seen during the day skating near the shores, but they were engaged in a most foolhardy proceeding, and should be made to keep off the ice until it is safe. A little precaution of this kind may avert a drowning accident.

There is a sufficient amount of snow on the ground in some places to permit the children to slide, but in one place where they were indulging in the pastime yesterday much danger attends the sport. A hill at South Brewer leads by the Mann store on Main street, and the track taken by the sleds passes over the electric railroad The risk of a sled coming into collision with a car when it passes is evident and in order to avoid accidents it would be well for the young people to choose some other hill for their sport. The place referred to is a more dangerous one owing to the fact that from the hill a car cannot be seen until it is quite near the crossing owing to the buildings there.

FOR BETTER ROADS.

National Incorporation Sought for the New League.

A New York dispatch says. A meeting of executive officers of the National League for Good Roads was held at its temporary headquarters, 45 Broadway, to-day. Senator Charles F. Manderson, of Nebraska, presided, and others present were Gen. Roy Stone, of this city, and Dr. Chauncey B. Ripley, of New Jersey. The object of the meeting was to discuss the matter of obtaining from Congress a charter conferring upon the league a National incorporation.

After the meeting a committee conferred with the chamber of commerce committee on internal trade on the best means to be used in interesting commercial bodies in the object of the association.

The league wants a national highway commission of inquiry. Otherwise the present plans of the league are stated as follows: To combine, as far as practicable, the efforts of all persons now engaged in the work for road reform. To awaken

Aunt Martha's Spinning Wheel.

BY SAMUEL MINTURN PECK.

With spider webbing tattered
In travesties of lace,
Mid treasures years have shattered,
Once miracles of grace,
Imploring Time to spare it
With rusty fangs of steel,
Behold it in the garret,
Aunt Martha's spinning wheel.

With slow and pensive fingers
I wipe the webs away,
While loving Fancy lingers
To paint an olden day.
When youth and beauty crowned it
What gay songs used to peal,
Now crickets wail around it,
Aunt Martha's spinning wheel.

I softly touch the treadle,
It gives a plaintive squeak;
It begs me not to meddle,
In murmurs sad and weak.
Alas! the feet that lithely
Once twinkled through the reel,
No more shall pat it blithely,
Aunt Martha's spinning wheel.

How oft its noisy turning
Hath served a lover's need,
And kept Age from discerning
What only Youth should heed!
'Twould drown both vows and kisses
That lovers love to steal,
A dear old treasure this is—
Aunt Martha's spinning wheel

For fear of house adorner
In search of bric-a-brac,
Far in the garret corner
With sighs I put it back,
And there just as I found it,
I leave for woe or weal
With ghosts to glide around it,
Aunt Martha's spinning wheel

—[*From "Rings and Love Knots"*

A NEW YORK BOAT

Will be Sailed in the Races to Select America's Boat.

A New York dispatch says: For the first time since 1885 New York will have a boat of its own in the trial races which will be held to select a boat to defend the America's cup against Lord Dunraven's Valkyrie. The first order for a cup defender was given on Friday to J. B. Herreshoff, of the Herreshoff Manufacturing Company, of Bristol, R. I., by Mr. Archibald Rogers, of Hyde Park, N. Y., representing a syndicate of New York yachtsmen.

Mr. Rogers is widely known as the owner of the cutter Bedouin and later of the Herreshoff 46-footer Wasp. The successful manner in which Mr. Rogers handled the Wasp last year augurs well for the new boat, as it is safe to say she will be sailed for all she is worth if Mr. Rogers has anything to do with her.

The syndicate, it is said, is composed of four or five well known yachtsmen. In addition to Mr. Rogers, the only other member of the syndicate whose name could be learned last evening was Mr. John E. Brooks, the owner of the crack 90-foot schooner Lasca. The Lasca was designed for Mr. Brooks by A. Cary Smith last year, and was without doubt the best schooner in her class which embraced some of the fastest boats in the country.

A member of the syndicate, who did not care to have his name appear just yet, said this evening.

"You see, a number of us thought that it was high time New York was properly represented in the contest. While Mr. Burgess was alive we felt that Gen. Paine and the Boston yachtsmen had first call on his services; it is different now, and we think that New York should be represented, in the trials at least, by a boat of its own."

American Public Health Association

Dr. A. G. Young, Secretary of the State Board of Health, is home from the City of Mexico, where he attended the annual meeting of the American Public Health Association.

Dr. Young expresses himself as much pleased with not only his trip, but the success which attended all the meetings.

In speaking of the interest that Mexico had manifested in the work of the association, he said that three years ago when this association invited Canada to join, invitations were also sent to the health officers of Mexico. Since that time these officers have manifested a good degree of interest in the association.

Two years ago at the meeting in Charleston, S C., several Mexican delegates were present and at the meeting last year in Kansas City, 15 or more delegates from several of the States in Mexico were present and President Diaz sent the association an invitation to hold the next meeting at his capital. The invitation was accepted. The Mexicans made everything very pleasant for the visitors. At every train which arrived bringing the delegates, carriages were in waiting to take them to the hotels. Throughout their stay everything conducing to the comfort and entertainment of the guests was provided.

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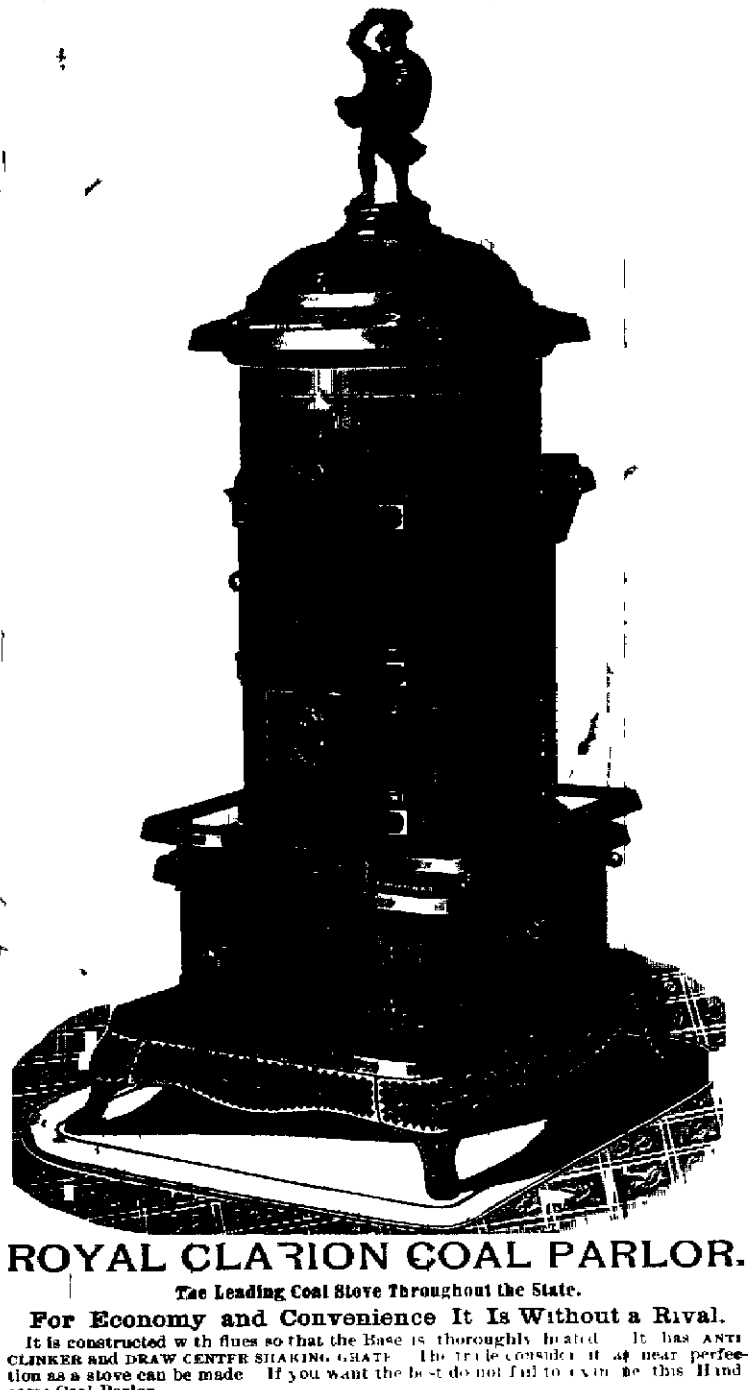


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STATE OF MAINE

Penobscot ss Court of Probate November Term A D 1892

T H Wiggin named Executor in a certain instrument purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Thomas J Witherly late of Bangor in said County deceased having presented the same for Probate

Ordered That said Executor give public notice to all persons interested by causing a copy of this Order to be published three weeks successively in the Bangor Daily Whig and Courier a newspaper published in Bangor in said County that they may appear at a Court of Probate for said County to be held at the Probate Office in said Bangor on the last Tuesday in December next at ten of the clock in the forenoon and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be proved approved and allowed as the last will and testament of said deceased

JAMES H BURGESS Judge

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